

...YOU
PROBABLY
WOULDN'T
KNOW WHAT
TO SAY TO
THIS.


I'M
SURE
...



CAPTAIN...
NO WORD
FROM THE
ADVANCE PARTY
IN THE TWO
HOURS SINCE
THEY
LANDED.

I KNOW...
PREPARE
SURVEY UNITS
2 AND 3 FOR
LANDING.

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WE'RE
LETTING
MARLEY KNOW
WHAT'S REALLY
GOING ON
HERE, NO
MATTER
WHAT IT
TAKES.

THIS
ISLAND
OF DEVILS
DEFEATED
OUR WARRIOR
UNIT AND
NOW
THREATENS
THE
WORLD.

BUT
I
WANT
YOU
TO
LIS-
TEN.



IT
WAS
THREE
YEARS
AGO...

A TIME
WHEN...WE
MIGHT
HAVE BEEN
ABLE TO
CHANGE
SOMETHING.





A
DEVIL
...





HELLO,
LADIES
AND
GENTLE-
MEN OF
MARLEY!

WELCOME
TO THE
ISLAND OF
PARADIS!!



I
AM
HANGE
!!



YOUR LONG
VOYAGE
MUST HAVE
LEFT YOU
TIRED!
COME, WHY
NOT JOIN
US FOR A
CUP OF
TEA?!!

I'M HERE
TO RECEIVE
OUR DIS-
TINGUISHED
GUESTS
WHO'VE
COME HERE
FROM
OH-SO-FAR
ACROSS
THE SEA!



AGH

...WE'RE
ALREADY
GETTING
ALONG
GREAT!!

ISN'T
THAT
RIGHT,
NICCOLO
?!

IF YOU
WERE
WONDERING
ABOUT THIS
GUEST
HERE WHO
ARRIVED
JUST A BIT
BEFORE
YOU...

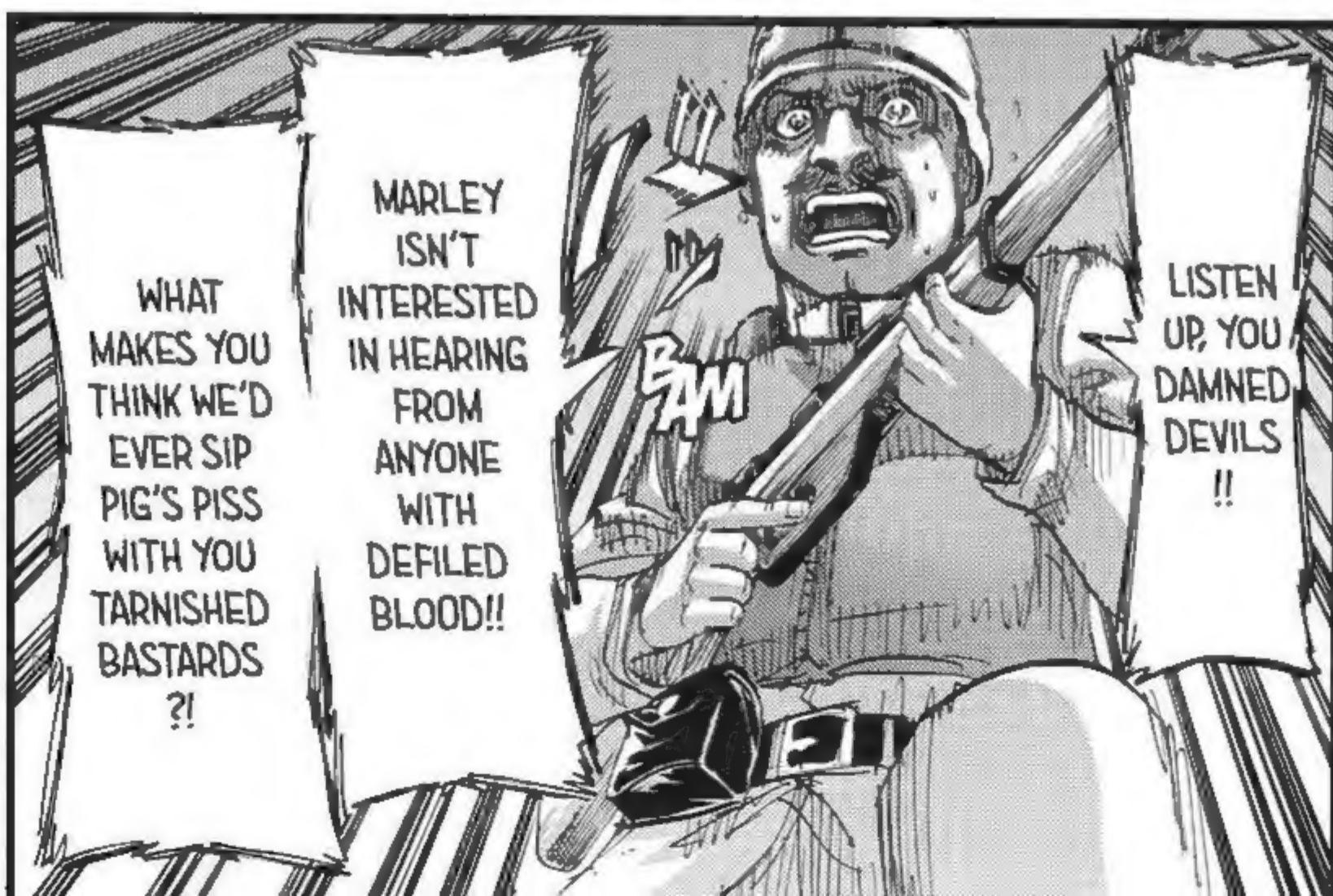


HE'S
CLEARLY NOT
INTERESTED
IN PLAYING
ALONG WITH
YOUR STUPID
SKIT.

HMMGH?!
WHY
WOULD
YOU SAY
THAT,
NICCOLO
?!

CAP-
TAIN
!!

DON'T MIND
ME! JUST
SHOOT
THESE
DAMNED
DEVILS!!



WHAT
MAKES YOU
THINK WE'D
EVER SIP
PIG'S PISS
WITH YOU
TARNISHED
BASTARDS
?!

MARLEY
ISN'T
INTERESTED
IN HEARING
FROM
ANYONE
WITH
DEFILED
BLOOD!!

BAM

LISTEN
UP, YOU
DAMNED
DEVILS
!!



...
NIC-
COLO
!!



DO YOU
REAAAAALLY
WANT TO
INSULT US
LIKE
THAT?!

!!
AWW...
ARE YOU
SURE?!



...
!!



WE WILL
NOT BEND
TO THE
POWER OF
DEVILS
!!

THIS IS
ALL
THAT
MARLEY
HAS
TO SAY
TO YOU
!!



GH-
!!

POP

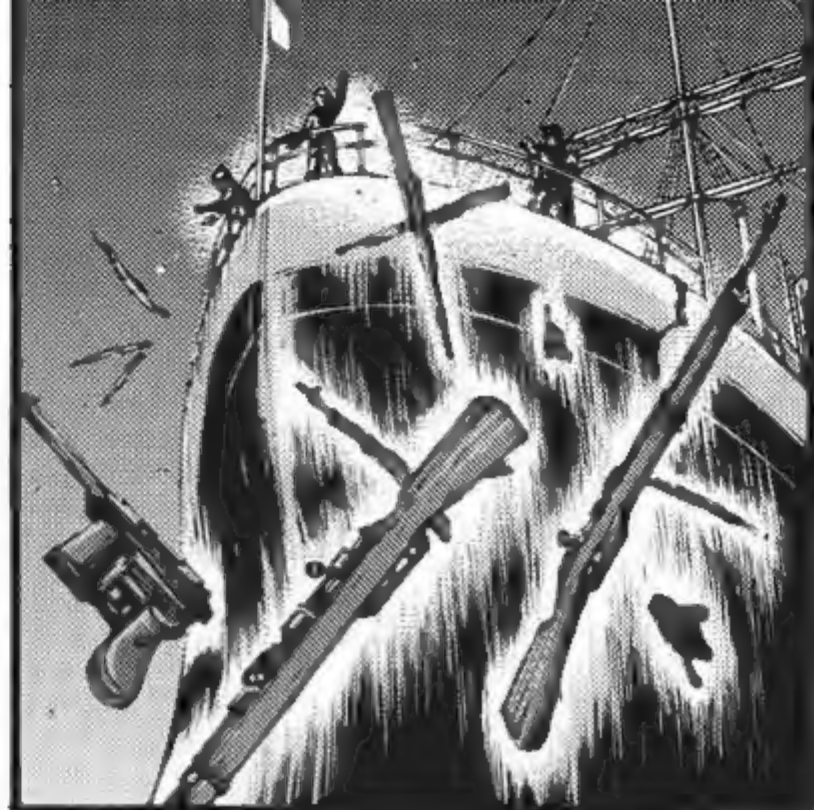


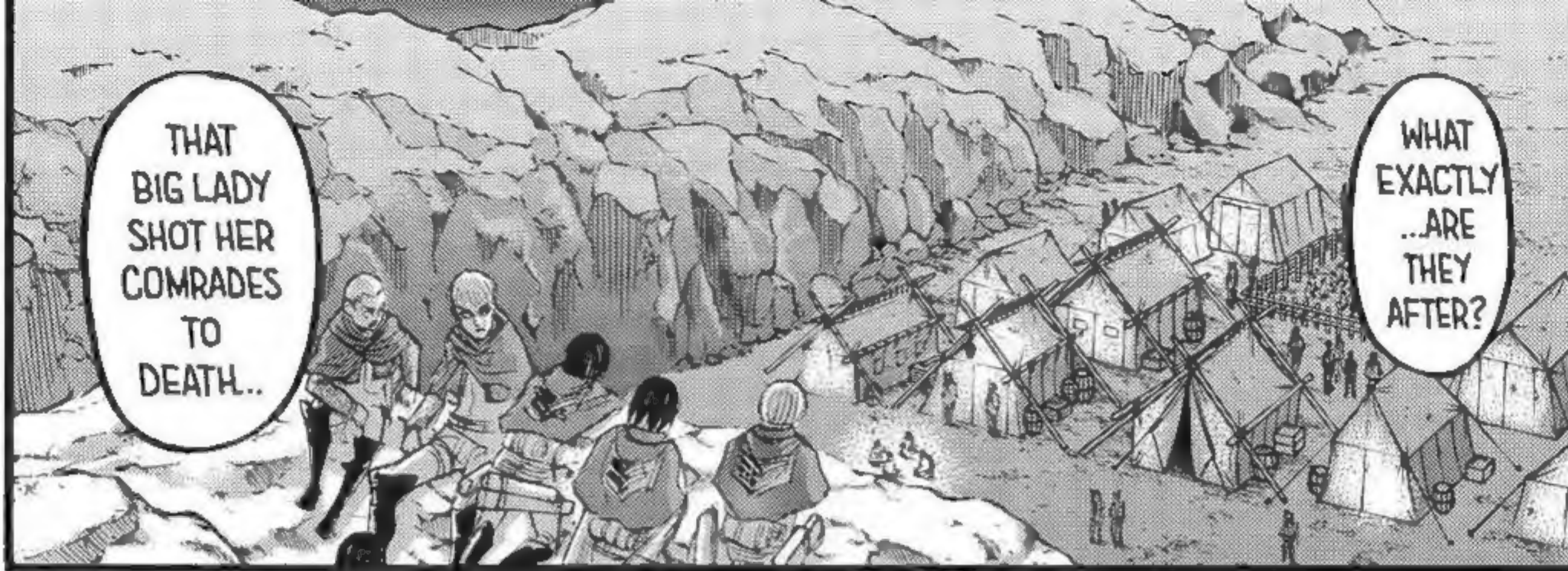
DON'T
TELL ME
YOU
CAN'T
SEE THE
TITAN
BEHIND
YOU!

I'D LOVE
TO HEAR
EXACTLY
HOW YOU
PLAN ON
GETTING
AWAY
FROM
THIS
PLACE!

GAH
...







THAT
BIG LADY
SHOT HER
COMRADES
TO
DEATH...

WHAT
EXACTLY
...ARE
THEY
AFTER?



...IS AN
INCREDIBLE
CHANCE TO
GATHER
INTELLI-
GENCE.

BUT...
BEING
ABLE TO
TALK TO
THEM...

WAKE
UP,
SASHA.

WHO
KNOWS
...

WELL,
WE CAN'T
TRUST THEM.
WHETHER
THEY'RE ON
OUR SIDE
OR NOT.



IF THE
MARLEYANS
WERE
SERIOUS, THEY
WOULD HAVE
COME IN
FORCE...

IT WASN'T
ANYTHING
THAT **WE** DID
THAT KEPT
THEM FROM
LANDING
HERE.

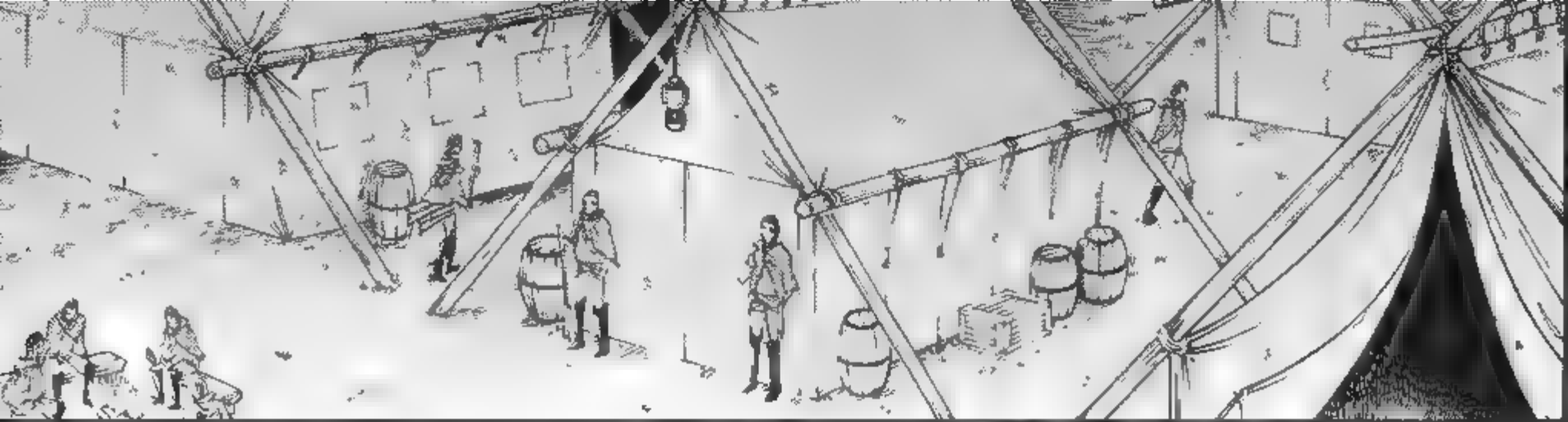


WE
HAVE
TO DO
SOME-
THING
...



YEAH
...

WE
REALLY
GOT
LUCKY
THERE
...



EACH OF THE ARMY'S DIVISIONS CONSISTS OF ABOUT 20,000 SOLDIERS.

THAT'S STANDARD KIT FOR A MARLEYAN SOLDIER.

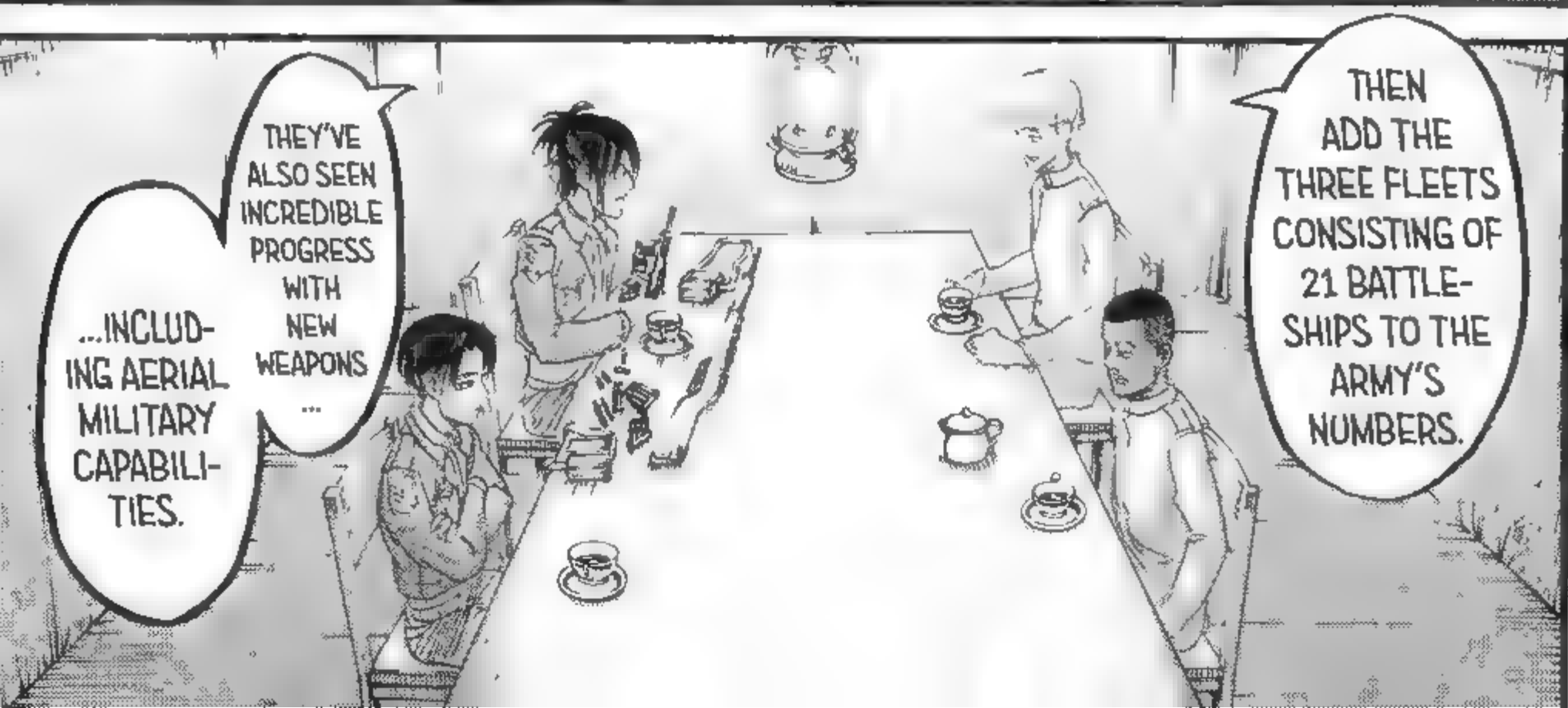


SO THIS LETS YOU SHOOT MULTIPLE TIMES WITHOUT RELOADING.

HUH... I SEE.



WITH 50 DIVISIONS IN TOTAL, THAT COMES OUT TO ABOUT A MILLION SOLDIERS.

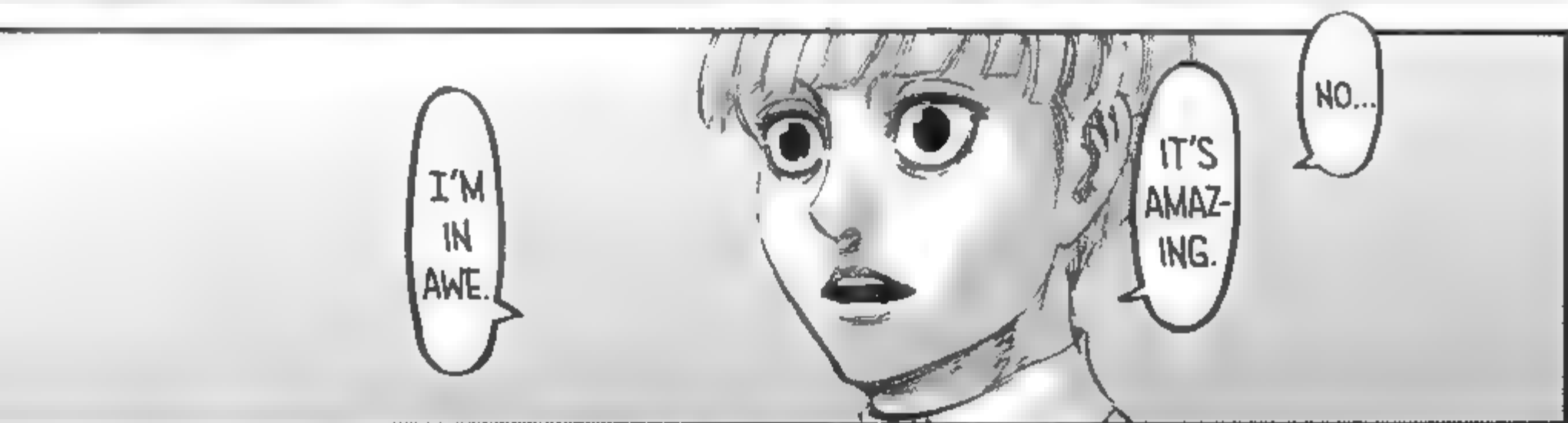



THEY'VE ALSO SEEN INCREDIBLE PROGRESS WITH NEW WEAPONS ...

...INCLUDING AERIAL MILITARY CAPABILITIES.

THEN ADD THE THREE FLEETS CONSISTING OF 21 BATTLESHIPS TO THE ARMY'S NUMBERS.







THOUGH
YOU SHOULD
KNOW THAT
THIS WAR
STARTED IN THE
FIRST PLACE
BECAUSE OF
YOU.

THEY'VE
GOT BIGGER
THINGS TO
WORRY ABOUT,
IN OTHER
WORDS.

BECAUSE
MARLEY HAS
ENTERED INTO
A STATE OF WAR
WITH AN
ALLIANCE OF
SEVERAL OTHER
NATIONS.



YOU
STOLE
SOME OF
THEIR KEY
WEAPONS.



THE
COLOSSUS
TITAN. THE
FEMALE
TITAN.

YOU
ROUTED
THE WARRIOR
UNIT, THE
PRIDE OF
MARLEY.

THE
ARMORED
TITAN. THE
BEAST
TITAN.



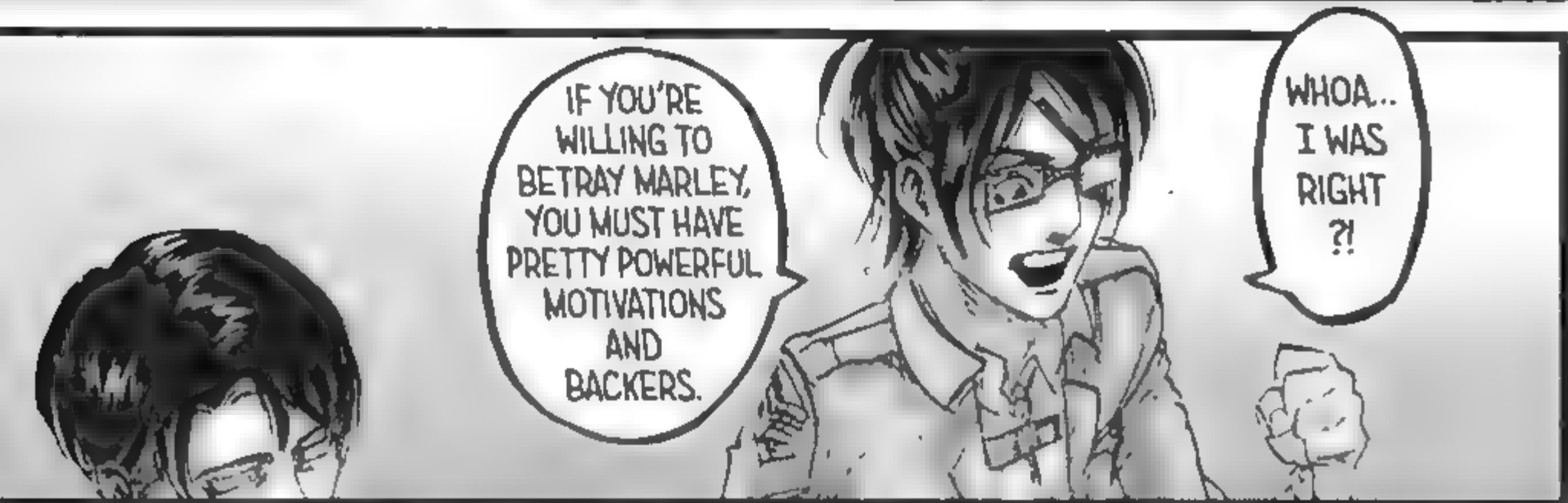
SO THAT
MEANS YOUR
GROUP ISN'T
LOYAL TO
MARLEY. YOU
HAVE A
GRUDGE
AGAINST IT.

YOU
INFILTRATED
THE ARMY TO
ACT AS
SOMETHING
LIKE SLEEPER
AGENTS...AM
I RIGHT?



MARLEY
IS A NATION
WITH MANY
ENEMIES.
OTHER
COUNTRIES
CAME
TOGETHER
IN THE BLINK
OF AN
EYE...

...AND
THEN
THE WAR
BEGAN.



IF YOU'RE WILLING TO BETRAY MARLEY, YOU MUST HAVE PRETTY POWERFUL MOTIVATIONS AND BACKERS.

WHOA... I WAS RIGHT ?!



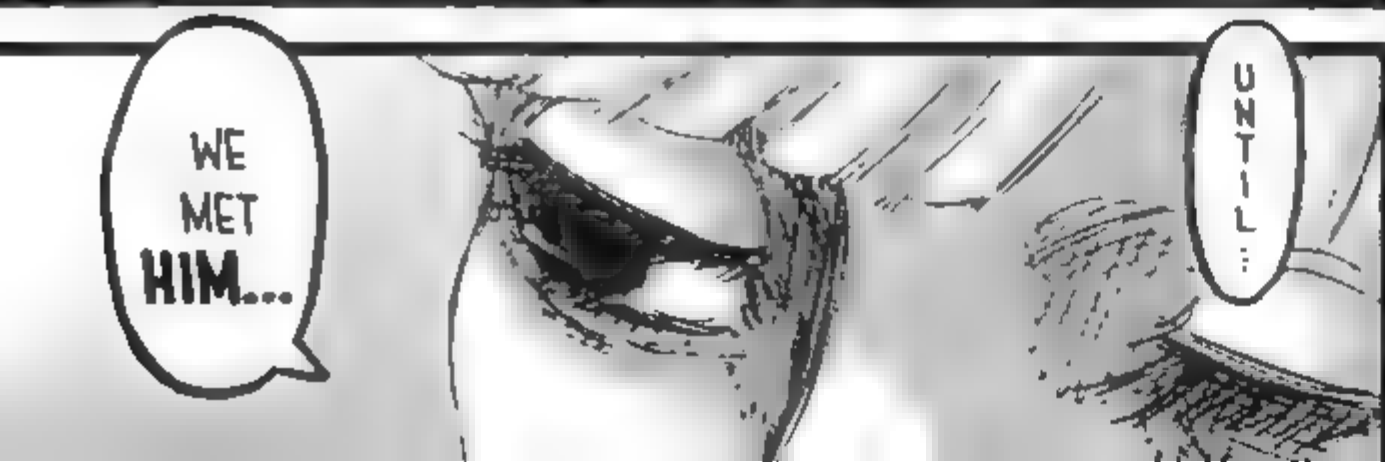
WE'RE CONSCRIPTS. NATIVES OF LANDS THAT MARLEY INVADED WHO WERE DRAFTED.

WE WERE SURE WE'D NEVER HAVE A CHANCE TO OPPOSE THEM.




CALLING US SLEEPER AGENTS WOULD BE AN OVER-STATE-MENT

NO...



WE MET HIM...

...F--T--G

A black and white manga-style illustration. A colossal, muscular Titan stands in the center, its back to the viewer, looking down at a city. The city is in ruins, with smoke rising from the ground. In the foreground, a stone wall with a crenelated top runs across the frame. The Titan's head is at the top of the frame, and its legs extend towards the bottom. The overall tone is somber and awe-inspiring.

A TITAN
KNOWN AND
FEARED BY
THE WORLD
AS A DEVIL.

BUT HE
LOOKED
LIKE
SOMETHING
ELSE
ENTIRELY
TO ME.

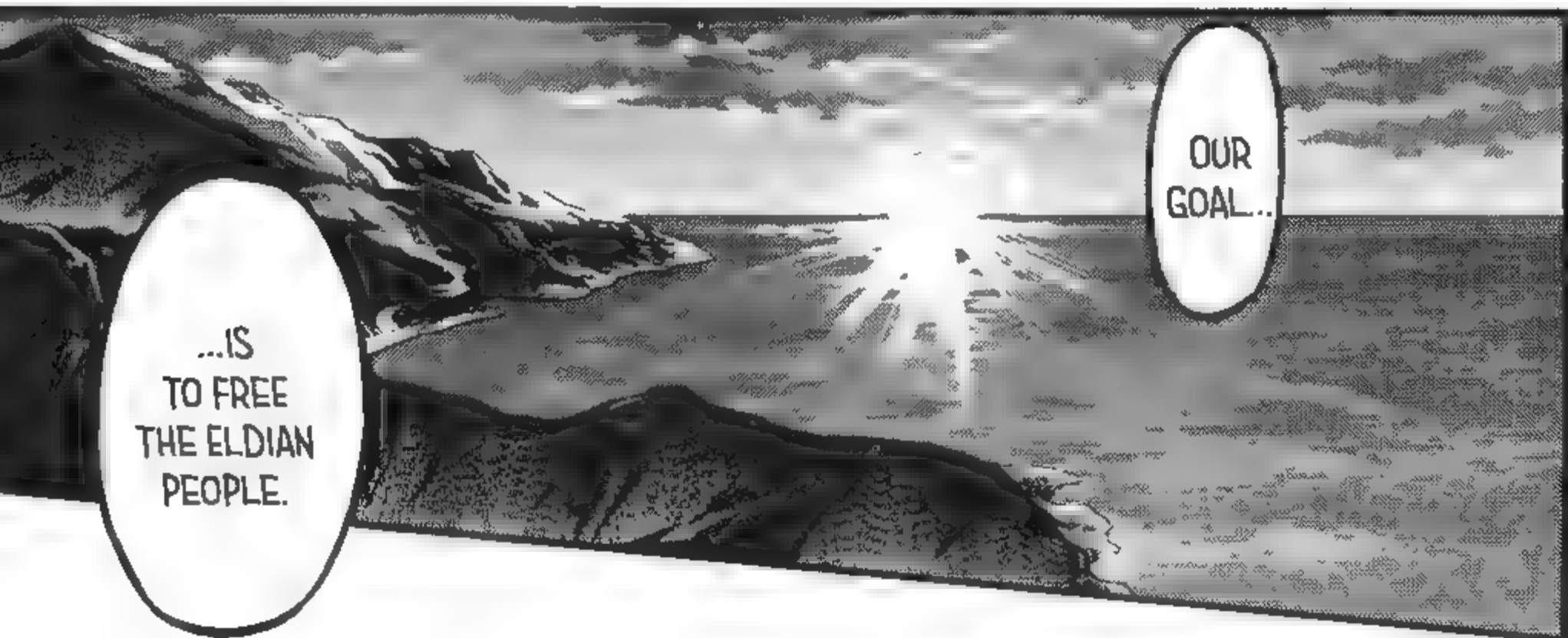
HE TOOK US IN
WHEN WE WERE
POWERLESS
AND SHOWED
US HOPE.

A GOD.



WE
SHOT OUR
OFFICERS
UNDER ORDERS
FROM ZEKE
YEAGER.

WE
ARE THE
ANTI-
MARLEYAN
VOLUNTEERS.



...IS
TO FREE
THE ELDIAN
PEOPLE.

OUR
GOAL...



ACCEPT
HIM ONTO
THE ISLAND
OF PARADIS
FOR THE
REMAINDER
OF THE TIME
HE HAS
LEFT.

ZEKE
YEAGER'S
REQUESTS
ARE AS
FOLLOWS.

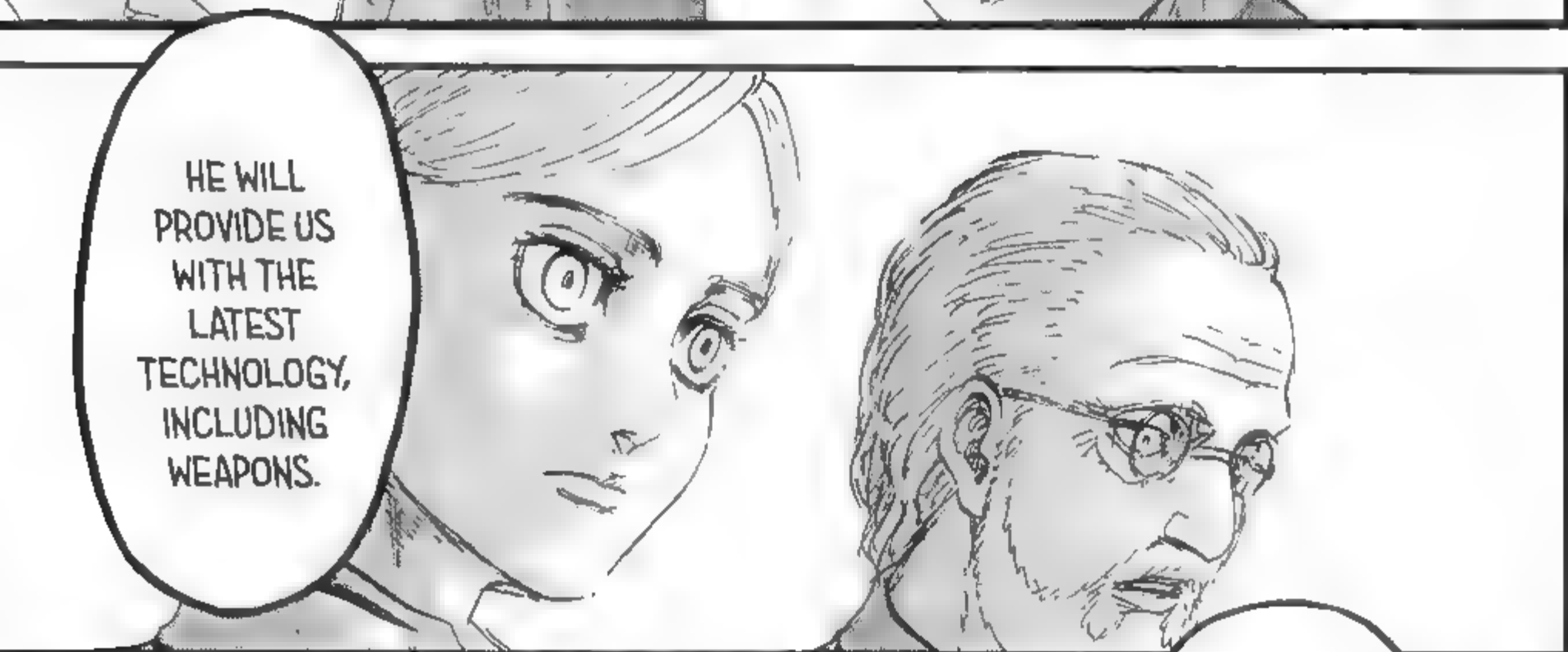


...HIS
HALF-
BROTHER,
EREN
YEAGER.

INTRODUCE
HIM TO THE
SOLDIER WHO
POSSESSES
THE FOUNDING
TITAN...



IN
RETURN,
HE WILL
GUARANTEE
PARADIS'S
SAFETY.



HE WILL
PROVIDE US
WITH THE
LATEST
TECHNOLOGY,
INCLUDING
WEAPONS.



HE
WILL ACT AS
A MEDIATOR
BETWEEN US
AND FRIENDLY
NATIONS, WHICH
HE CLAIMS
EXIST.

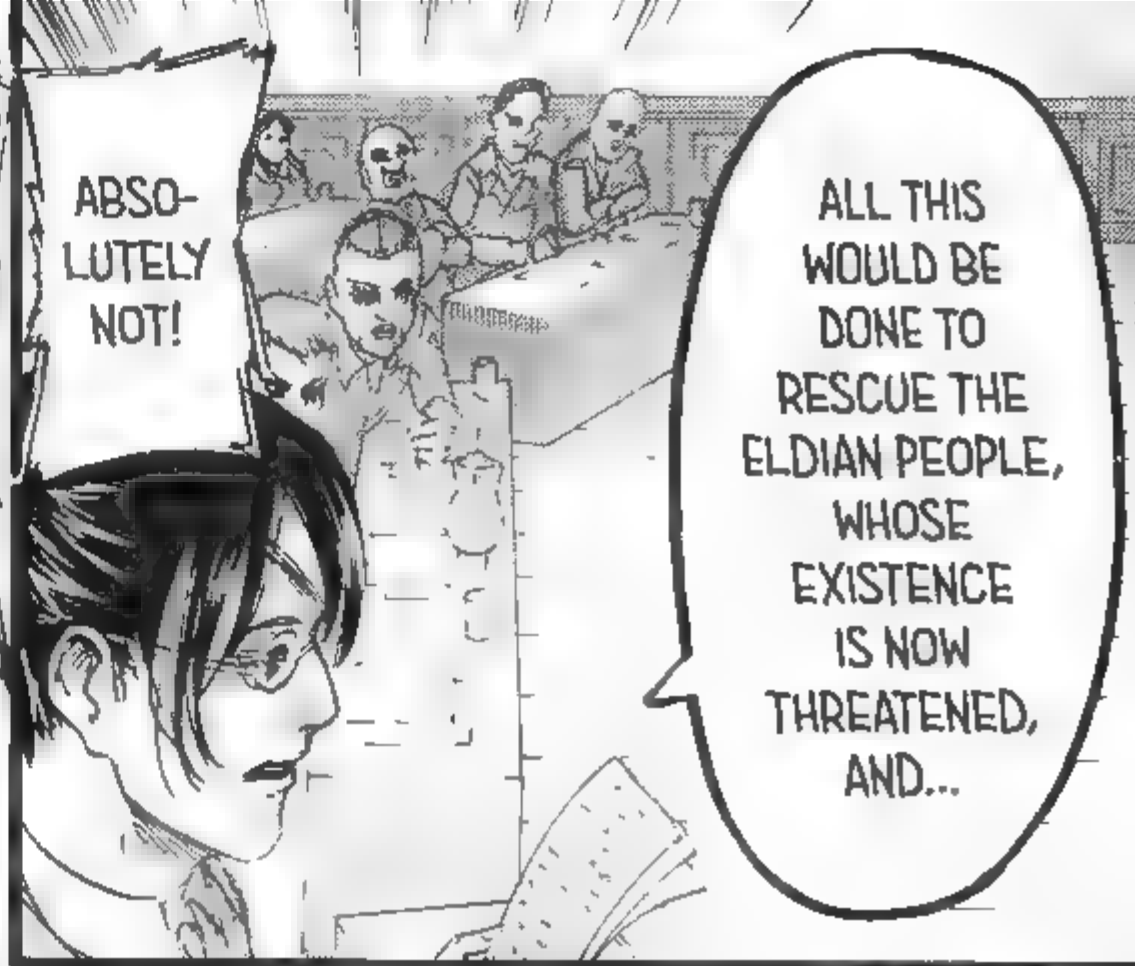


AND
FINALLY, HE
WILL PROVIDE
SUPPORT FOR
INTELLIGENCE
ACTIVITIES
TARGETING
MARLEY...



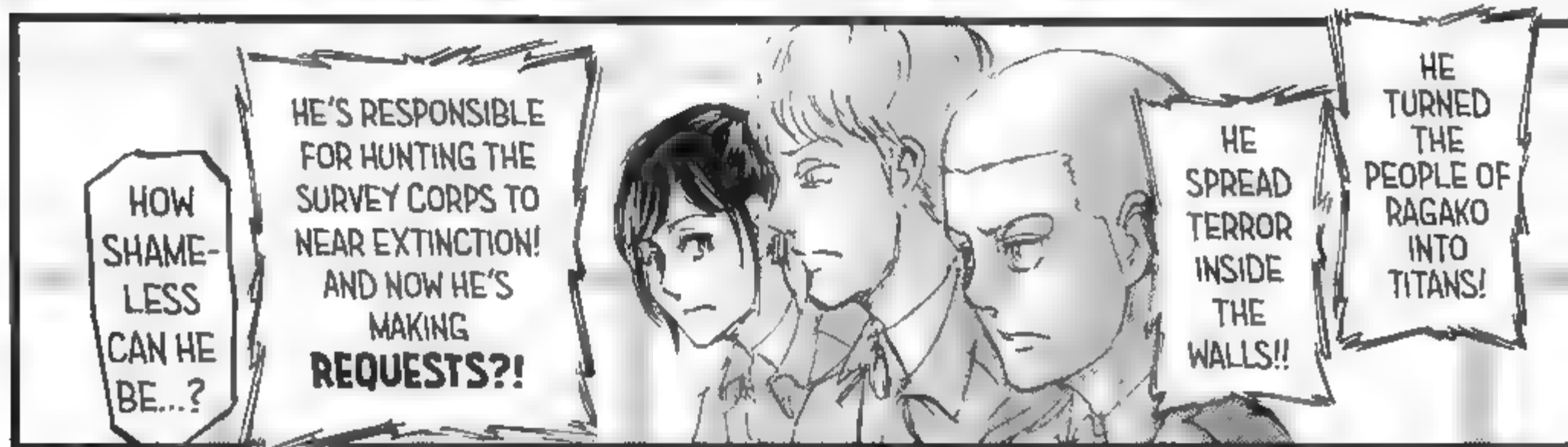
WE'RE
DEALING
WITH
THE
BEAST
TITAN
HERE
!!

WHO
WOULD
EVER
AGREE TO
SUCH A
RIDICU-
LOUS
OFFER?!



ABSO-
LUTELY
NOT!

ALL THIS
WOULD BE
DONE TO
RESCUE THE
ELDIAN PEOPLE,
WHOSE
EXISTENCE
IS NOW
THREATENED,
AND...



HOW
SHAME-
LESS
CAN HE
BE...?

HE'S RESPONSIBLE
FOR HUNTING THE
SURVEY CORPS TO
NEAR EXTINCTION!
AND NOW HE'S
MAKING
REQUESTS?!

HE
SPREAD
TERROR
INSIDE
THE
WALLS!!

HE
TURNED
THE
PEOPLE OF
RAGAKO
INTO
TITANS!



WHY
DON'T WE
HEAR WHAT
THEIR
LEADER
HAS TO
SAY?

OUR
ENEMIES
MUST
REALIZE
THAT AS
WELL.



IF FORCE
DOESN'T
WORK, THEY
WILL USE ANY
OTHER MEANS
AT THEIR
DISPOSAL.

THEIR
ONE AND
ONLY GOAL
IS TO
RETAKE THE
FOUNDING
TITAN.

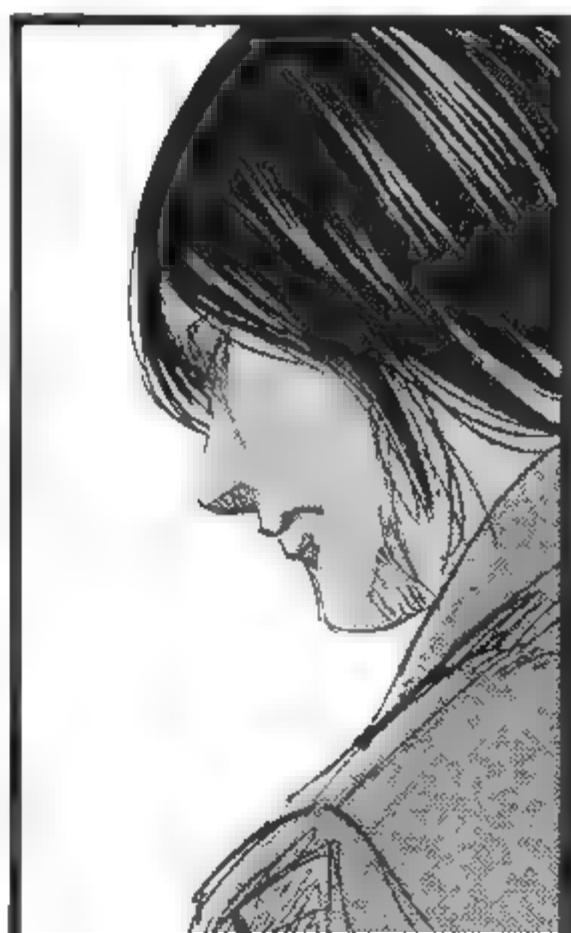
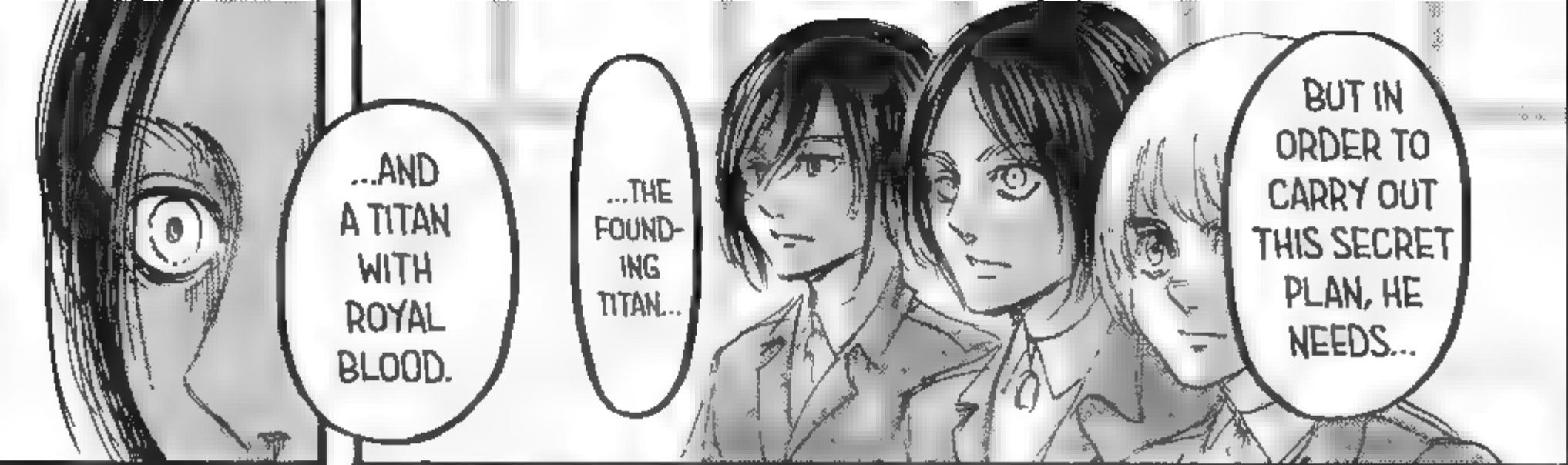


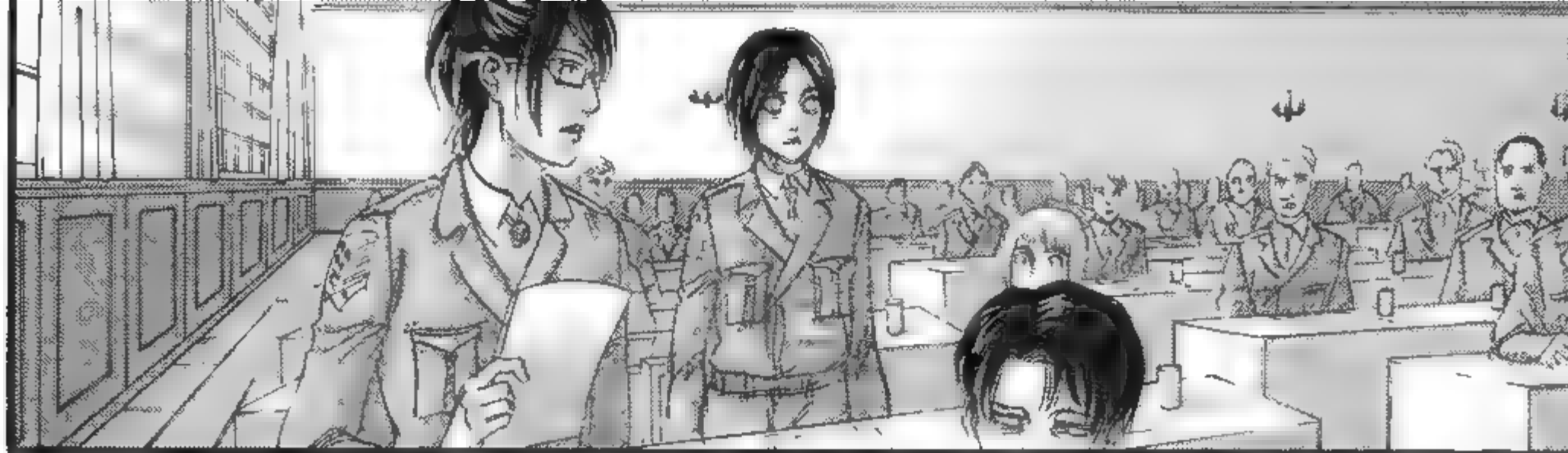
...THAT WILL
SOLVE ALL OF
THE ELDIAN
PEOPLE'S
PROBLEMS
AT ONCE.

THERE
IS STILL A
SECRET PLAN
THAT CAN BE
CARRIED
OUT...

AC-
CORD-
ING TO
ZEKE
...

TO
CON-
TIN-
UE...





...WAS
IN THE
MOMENT
WHEN I
TOUCHED A
TITAN WITH
ROYAL
BLOOD.



I
REMEM-
BER
NOW.

THE ONE
TIME I WAS
ABLE TO
ACTIVATE THE
POWERS OF
THE FOUNDING
TITAN...

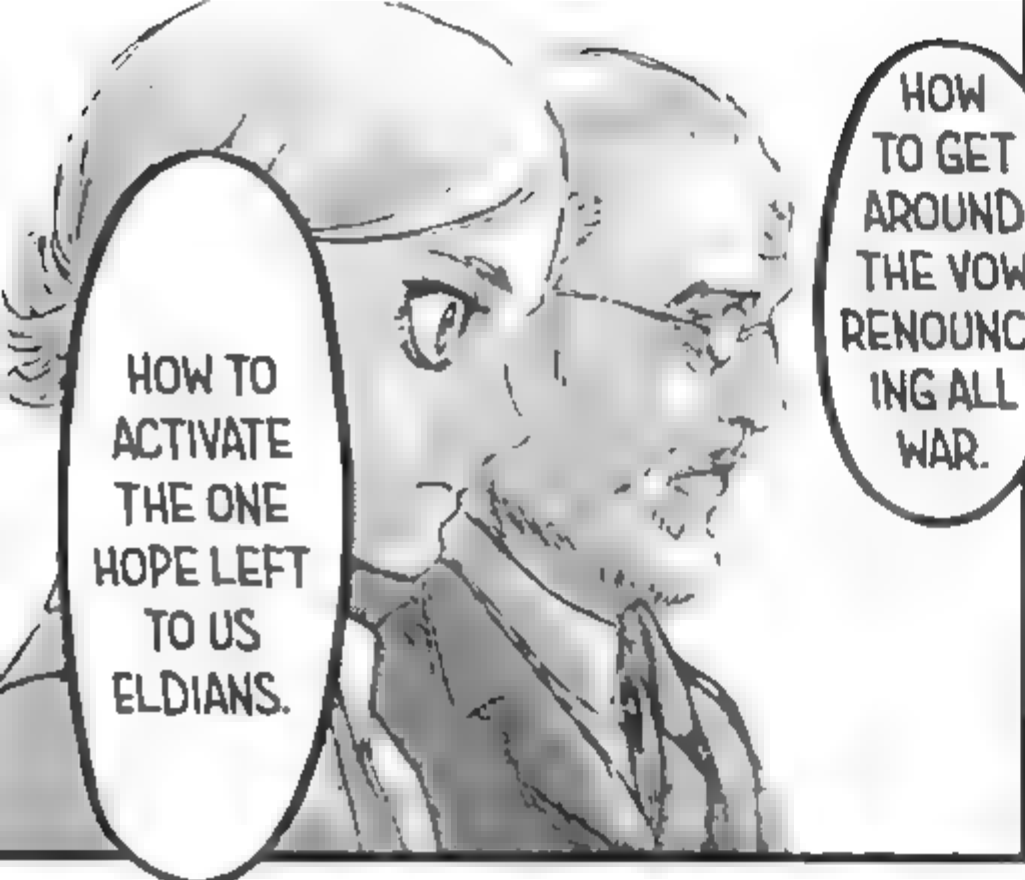


...AND
THAT
SAVED
MY
LIFE.

BY PURE
COINCIDENCE, I
CAME IN CONTACT
WITH DINA FRITZ
THAT DAY AS SHE
WANDERED THE
LAND AS A PURE
TITAN...

I'M
CERTAIN
THAT WAS
DINA
FRITZ.

THAT
TITAN HAD
THE SAME
FACE AS
SOMEONE IN
A PHOTO MY
FATHER
LEFT ME.



HOW TO
ACTIVATE
THE ONE
HOPE LEFT
TO US
ELDIANS.

HOW
TO GET
AROUND
THE VOW
RENOUNC-
ING ALL
WAR.

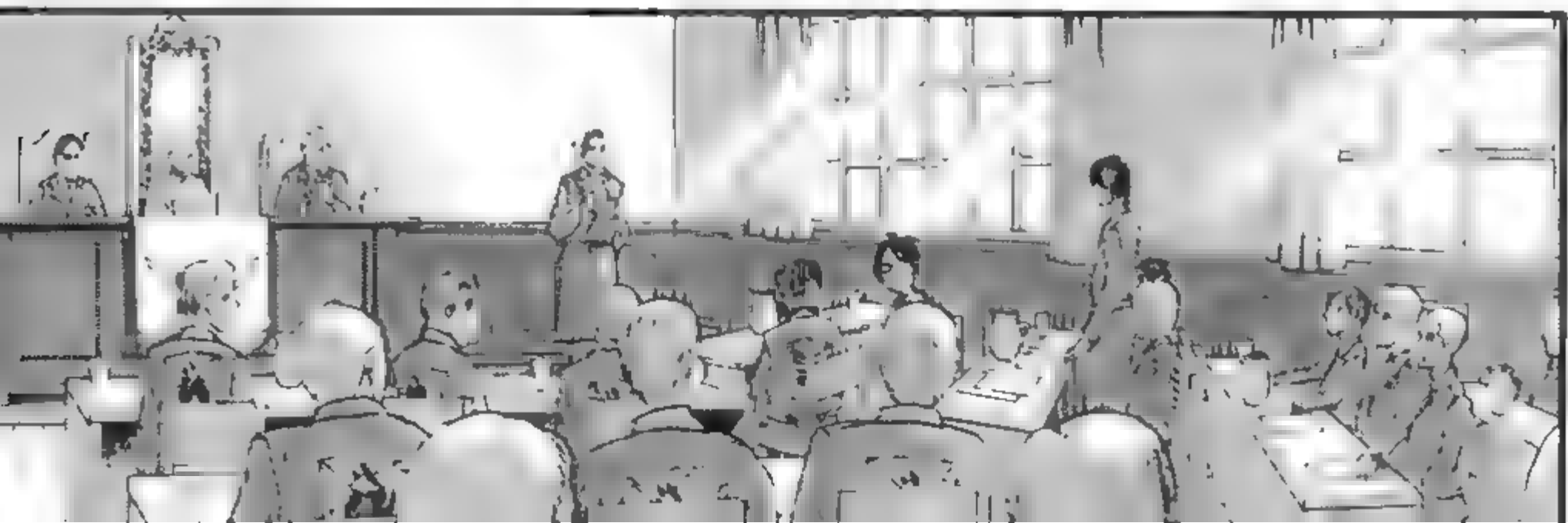


ZEKE IS
DINA'S SON.
HE MUST
HAVE
FIGURED IT
OUT, TOO.



THE WAY
TO USE THE
THOUSANDS
OF TITANS
SLEEPING
INSIDE THE
WALLS...

...TO
CRUSH
THE
WORLD
TO
DUST.



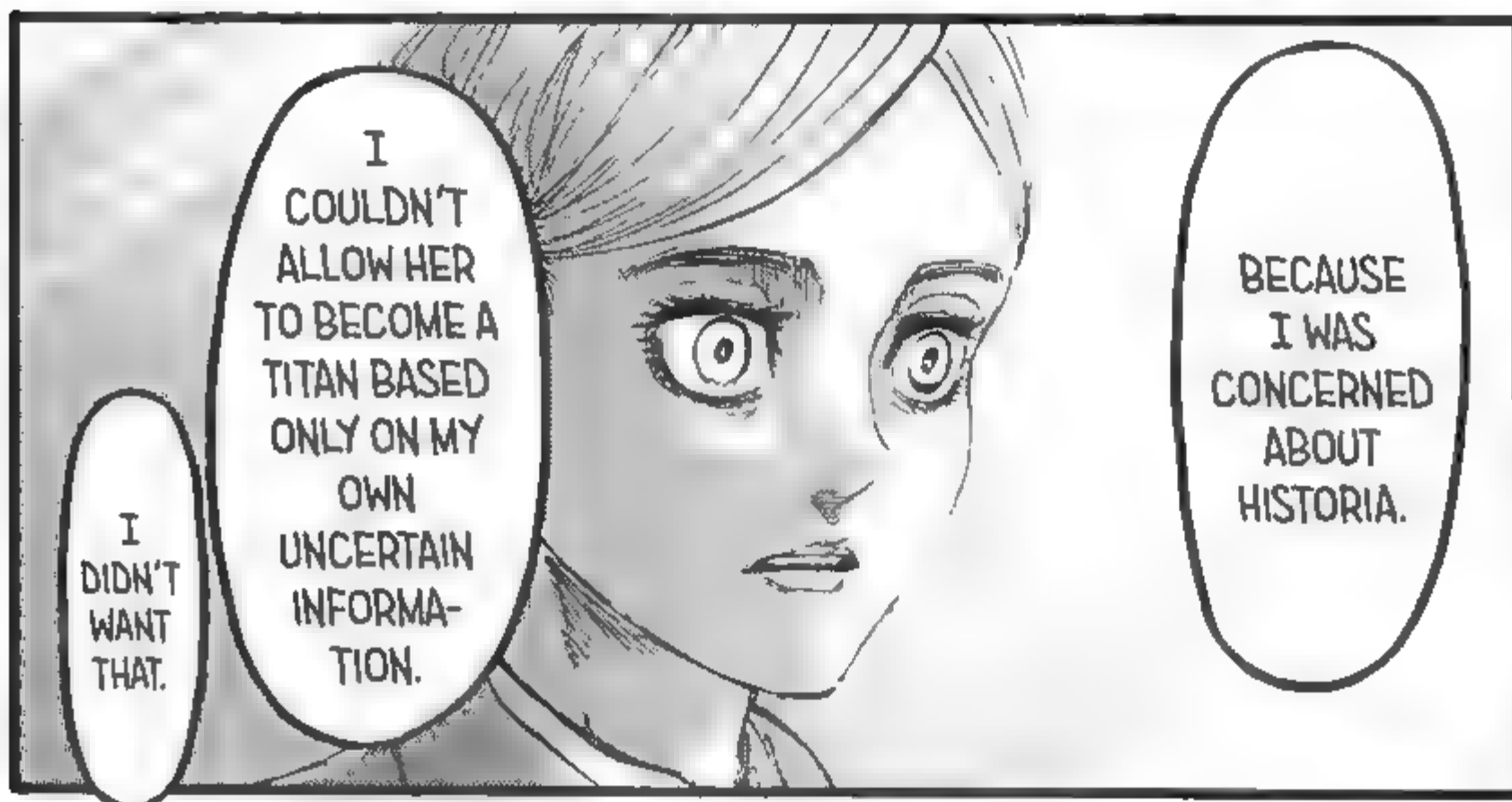


WHY
DID YOU
KEEP QUIET
ABOUT THAT
THIS WHOLE
TIME?

YOU
...



...
EREN.



I
DIDN'T
WANT
THAT.

I
COULDN'T
ALLOW HER
TO BECOME A
TITAN BASED
ONLY ON MY
OWN
UNCERTAIN
INFORMA-
TION.

BECAUSE
I WAS
CONCERNED
ABOUT
HISTORIA.



ZEKE'S
SECRET
PLAN
MAKES
SENSE,
TOO...



THEN
...

BUT...
IF IT'S
REALLY
TRUE...

I WILL
ADMIT
THAT IT
WAS A
THOUGHT-
LESS
DECI-
SION.

...WE'LL
TALK
ABOUT
THAT
LATER.



YOU'RE
GOING
TO TRUST
THEM
?!

ARE
YOU
IN-
SANE
?!



NO...
WE
CAN'T
DO
THAT.

WE
OUGHT
TO STRING
THEM UP
AND
BEHEAD
THEM
ALL!

THAT'S RIGHT!
WHO KNOWS
WHAT'LL HAPPEN IF
WE LET ALL OF
THOSE ENEMY
SOLDIERS ONTO
THE ISLAND!



IF
SHE
...

WE
NEED THE
VOLUN-
TEERS TO
COOPER-
ATE WITH
US.

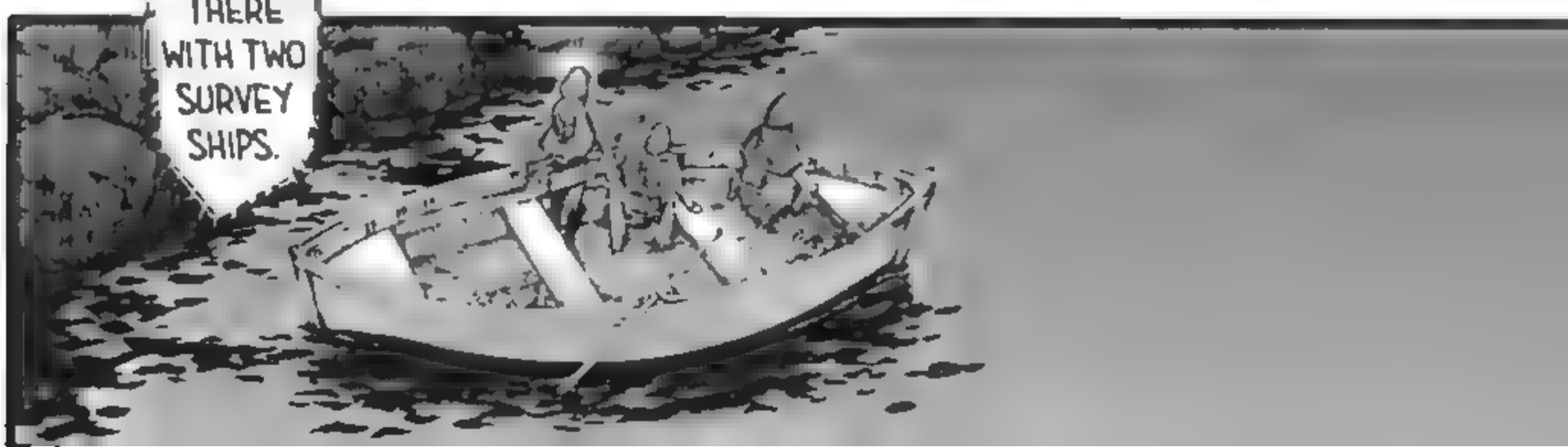
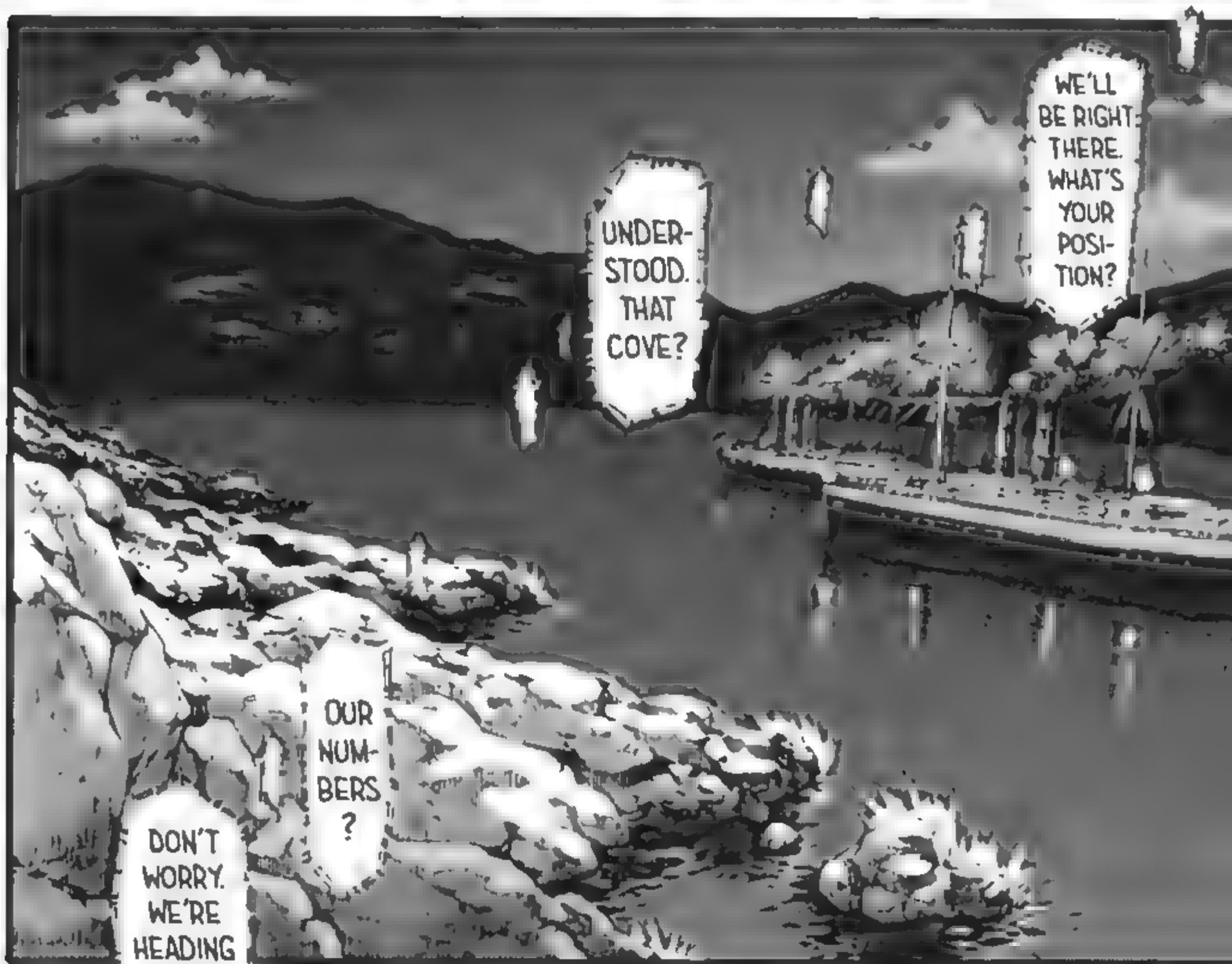
IF WE
WANT TO
PROTECT THIS
ISLAND FROM
MARLEY'S
SURVEY
BOATS...

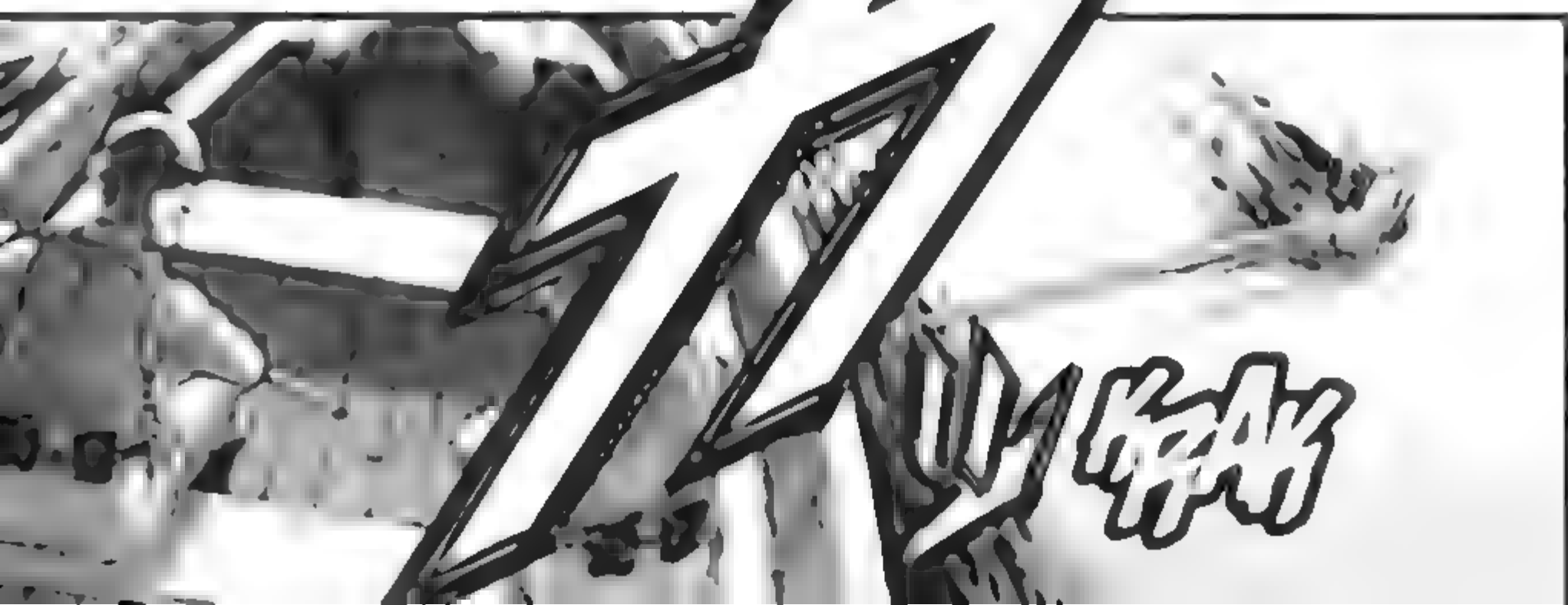
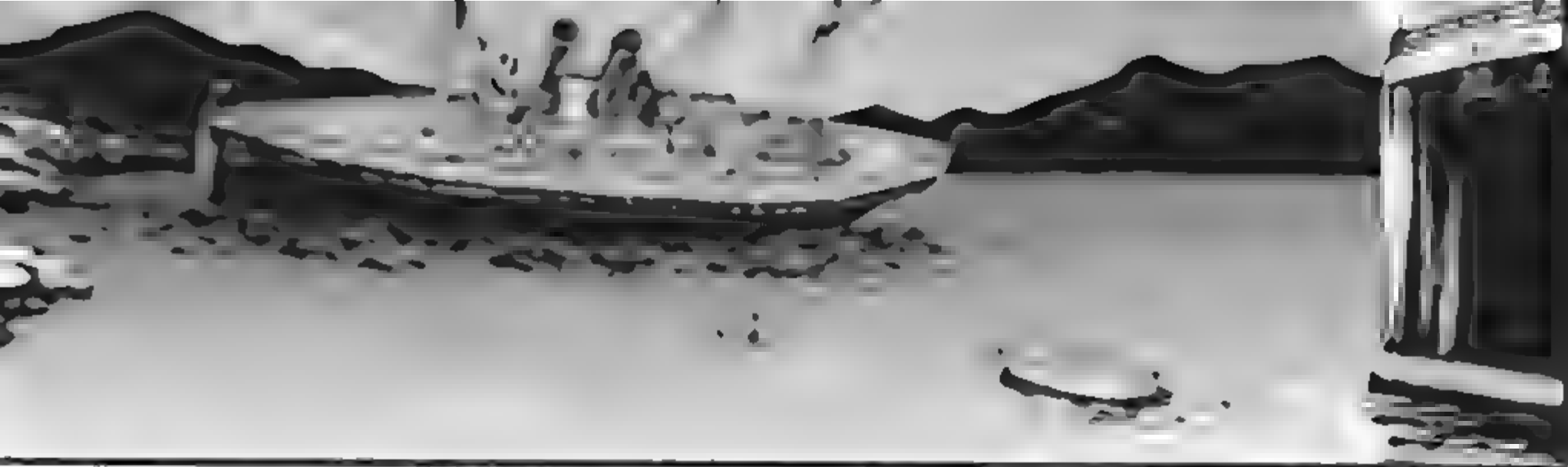


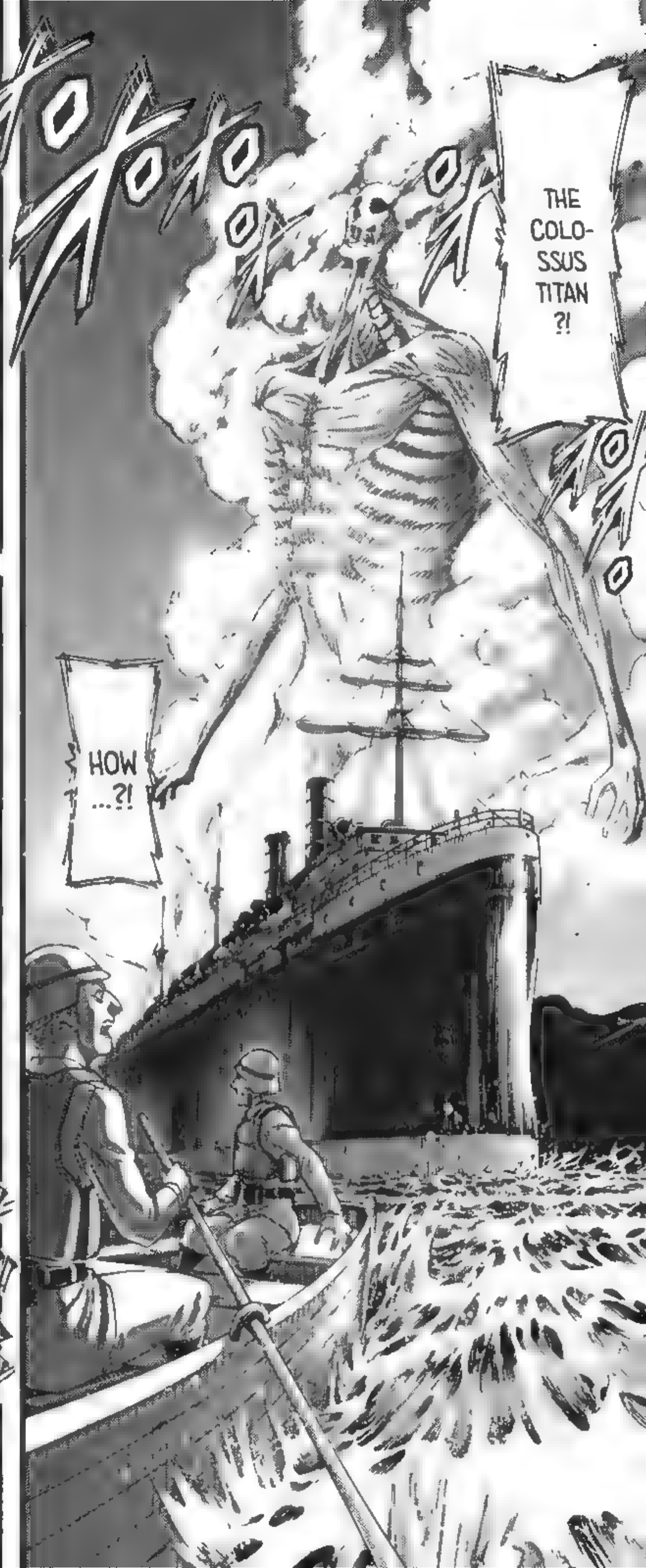
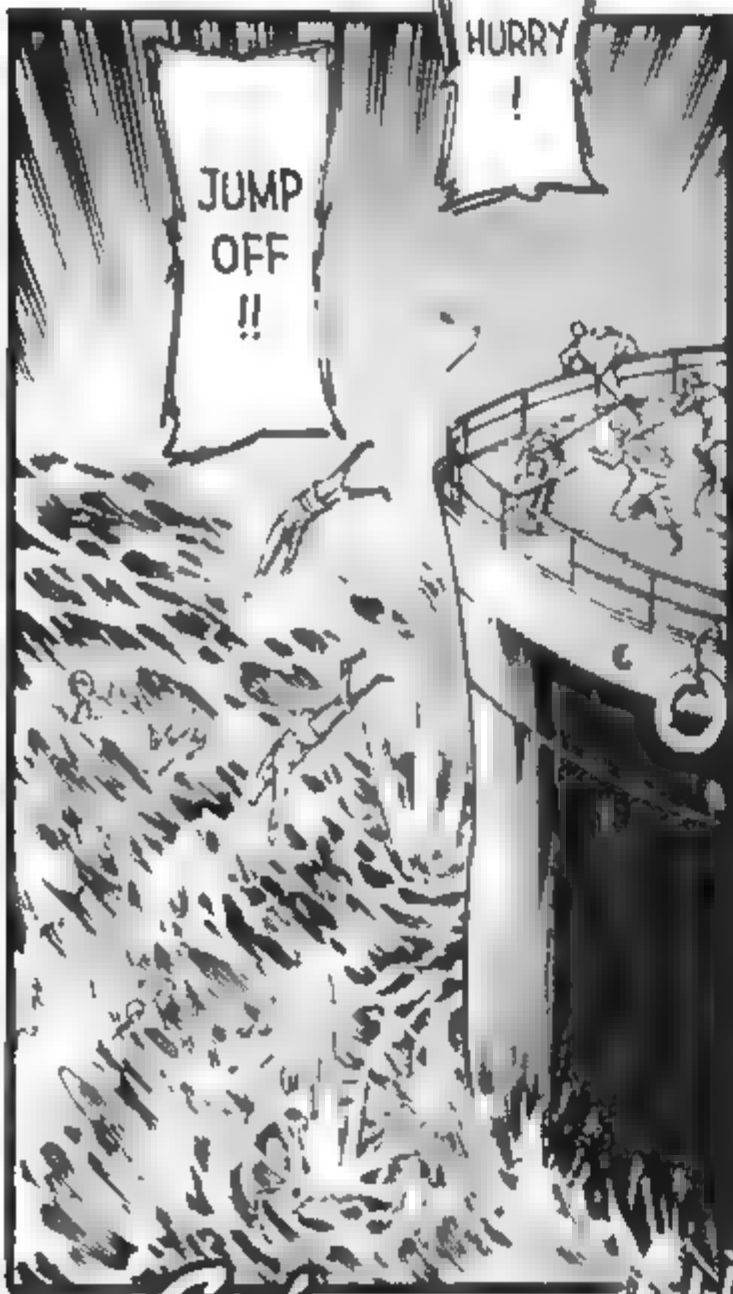
THIS
IS
SURVEY
FLEET
1.

COME
IN.

...DOESN'T
CONTACT
THEM
THROUGH HER
"WIRELESS
COMMUNI-
CATION"...









WE'LL
MAKE
YOU FEEL
RIGHT AT
HOME.

SO
LONG
AS YOU
LIKE PIG
PISS.



WELCOME
TO OUR
FILTHY
ISLAND,
HOME TO
DEFILED
DEVILS.



...YOU'LL
NEED TO
SWIM
BACK
HOME.

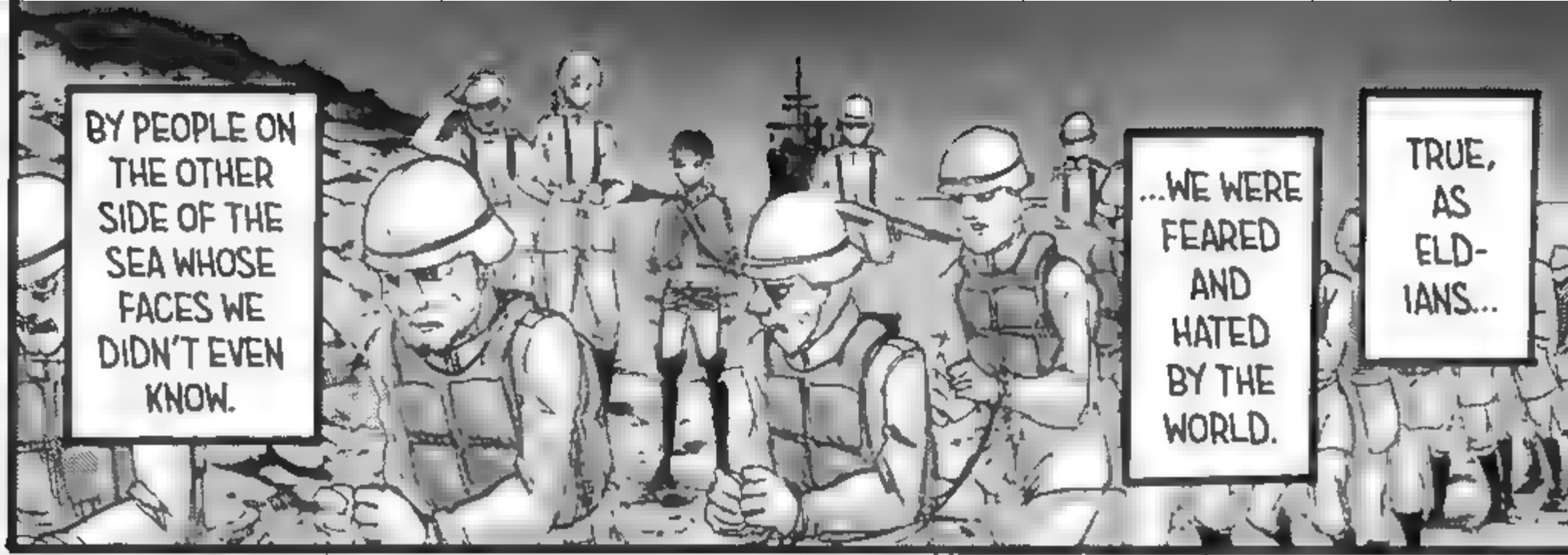
OF
COURSE, IF
YOU DON'T
WANT TO
COME
ASHORE

FEEL
FREE TO
TURN ME
DOWN.



...
BACK
THEN.

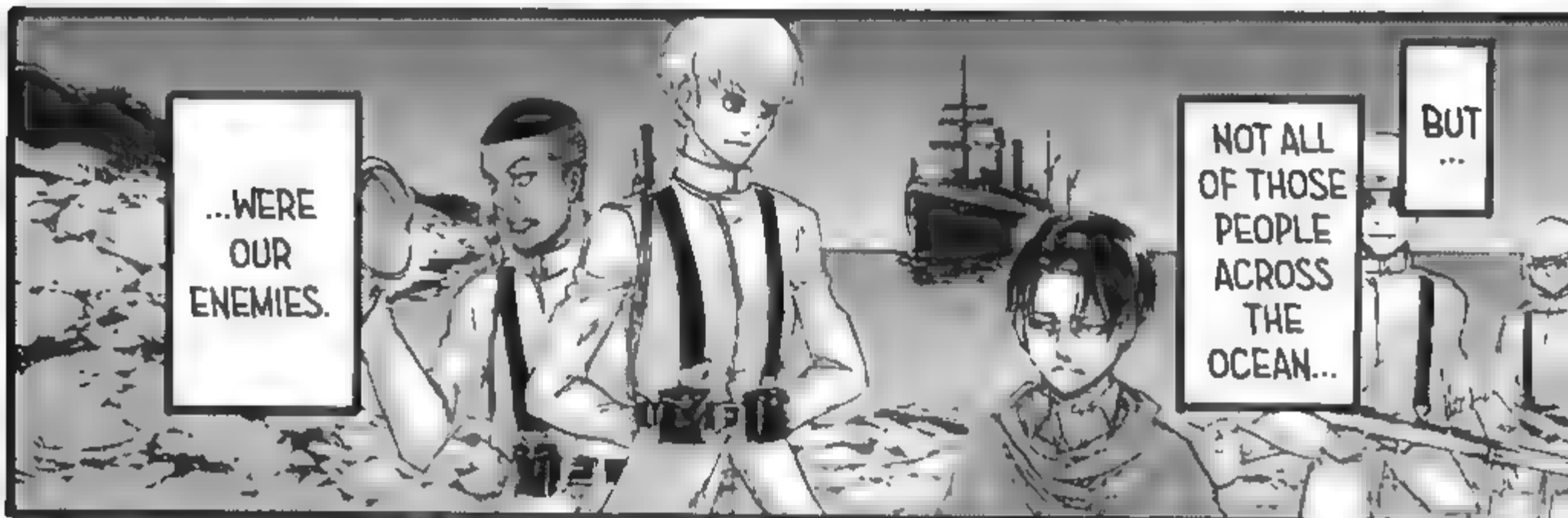
IT
WAS
FUN
...



BY PEOPLE ON
THE OTHER
SIDE OF THE
SEA WHOSE
FACES WE
DIDN'T EVEN
KNOW.

...WE WERE
FEARED
AND
HATED
BY THE
WORLD.

TRUE,
AS
ELD-
IANS...



...WERE
OUR
ENEMIES.

NOT ALL
OF THOSE
PEOPLE
ACROSS
THE
OCEAN...

BUT
...



THIS IS
CALLED A
"PORT."

WE'LL
START BY
MAKING THE
THING THIS
ISLAND NEEDS
MOST.



THIS
THING IS
TASTY,
RIGHT?

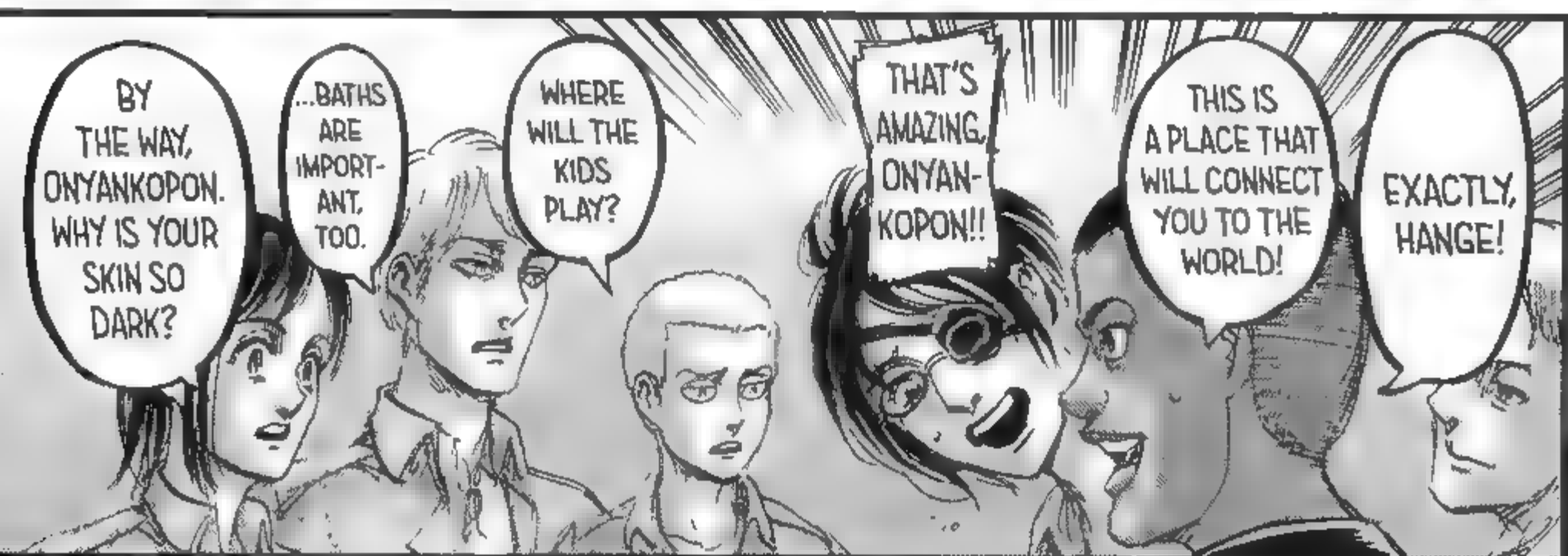
IT'S
NOT A HOT
SPRING,
YOU
STUPID
PERV.

IS IT
GONNA
HAVE A
MIXED
BATH,
TOO?

IT'S
NOT A
TOY.

THE
KIDS'LL
LOVE
THAT.

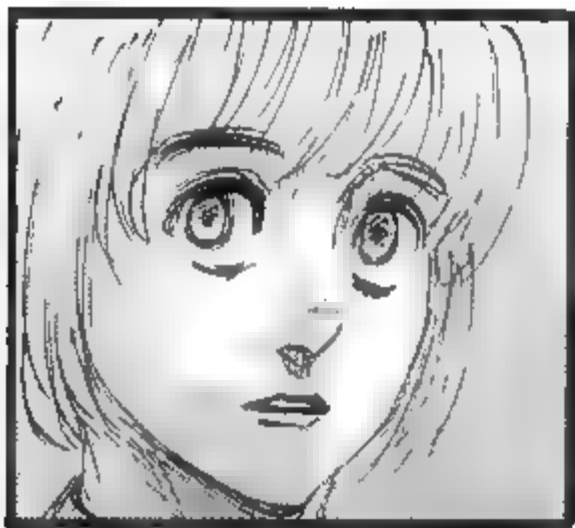
OF
COURSE...
A PORT.





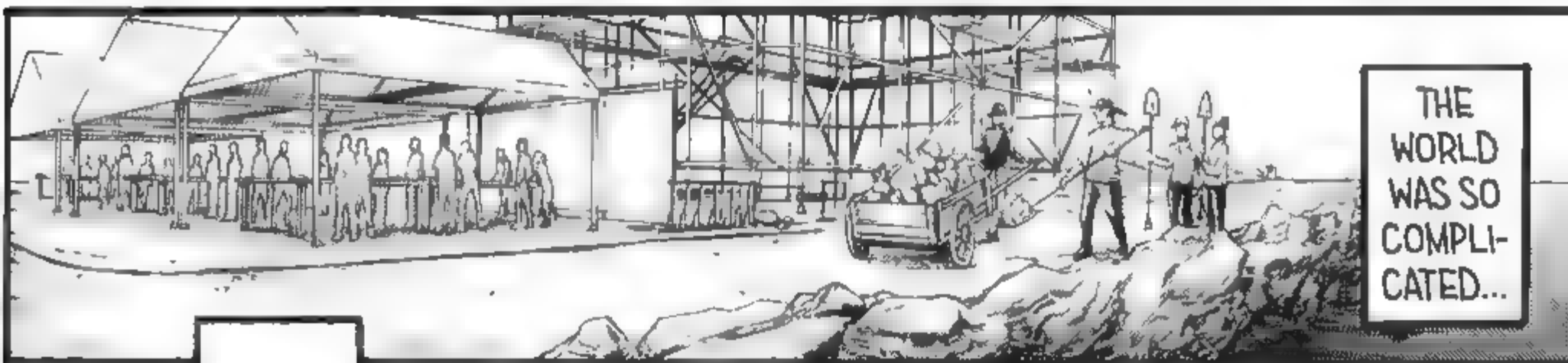
IN
OTHER
WORDS, A
GOD...

THE
ONE WHO
GAVE POWER
TO YMIR, THE
FOUNDER.

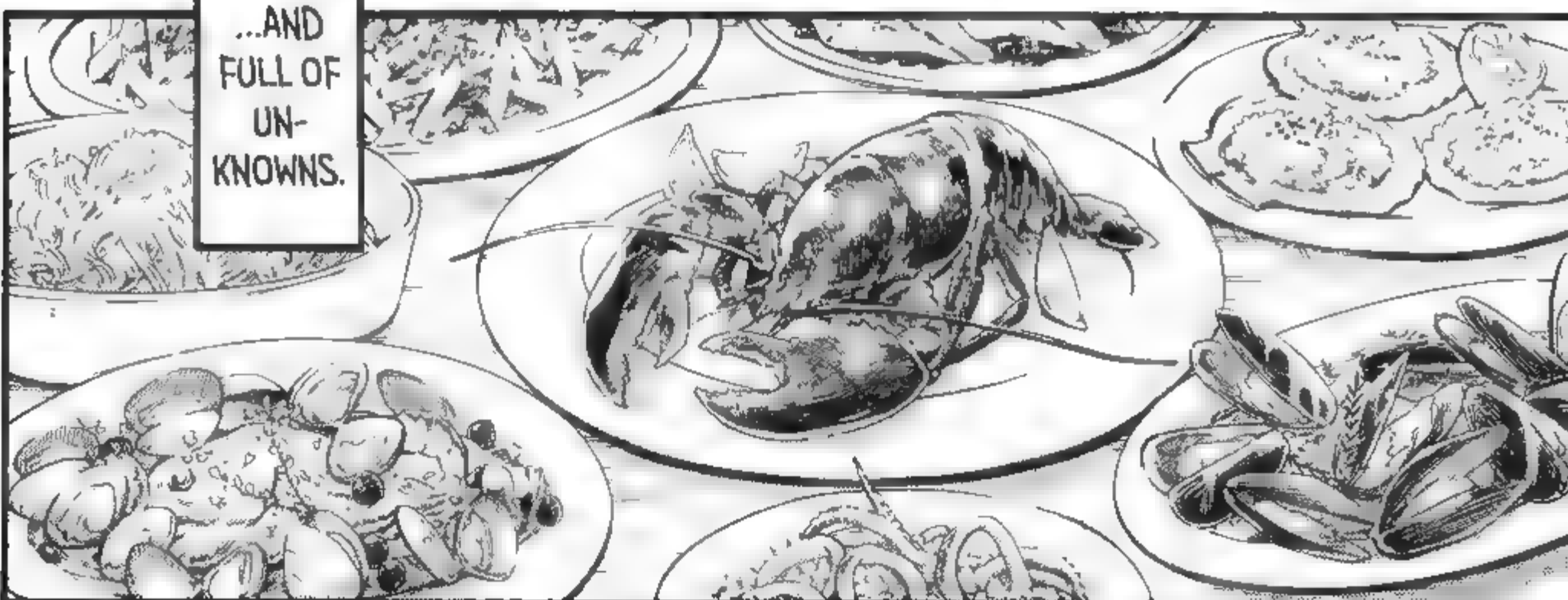


WE'RE
ALL FREE
TO THINK
AS WE
LIKE,
NO?

THAT'S
WHAT
SOME
PEOPLE
THINK.



THE
WORLD
WAS SO
COMPLI-
CATED...



...AND
FULL OF
UN-
KNOWN.



...IS
THIS
STUFF
EDIBLE
?

WHAT
IS THIS
FOOD
...?



WHY WOULD I WANT ANY OF YOU TO...

YOU ELDIANS ARE FREE NOT TO EAT IT.



DAMMIT... WHY DO I HAVE TO...

NIC-COLO IS A MASTER OF MARLEYAN COOKING.

IS THIS YOUR FIRST TIME HAVING SEAFOOD?



YOU'RE A GENIUS !!

MIS-TER NIC-COLO !



NO FAIR, SASHA !

HEY !!

M M M M G H H H !!

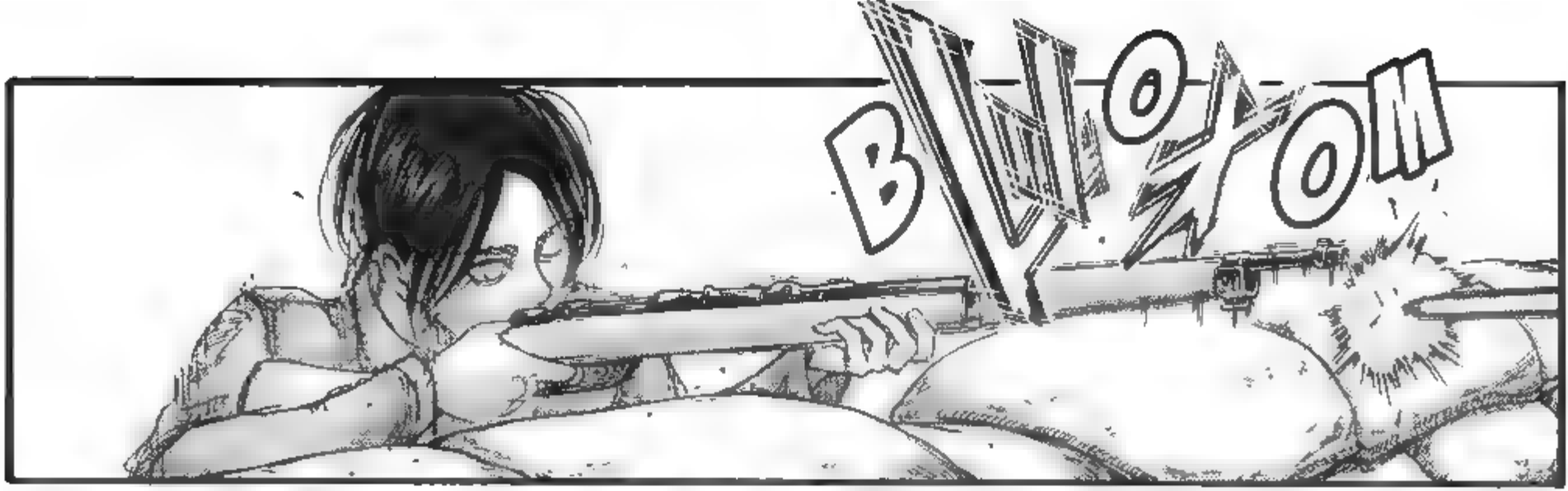
G G F F A A H H



THERE'S STILL SOME LEFT, YOU DON'T NEED TO RUSH!

I'VE NEVER HAD SOMETHING LIKE THIS BEFORE...

L-LEARN SOME MANNERS ...!







DO YOU
THINK IT'S OKAY
FOR US...TO JUST
GO ALONG WITH
YELENA'S PLANS
LIKE THIS?

IT WOULD
TRULY BE LIKE
A NIGHTMARE.
THE WHOLE
WORLD WOULD
HAVE TO LIVE
IN FEAR.

I JUST
WONDER...IF
THE ONLY WAY FOR
US TO PROTECT
THE ELDIAN
PEOPLE REALLY IS
TO THREATEN THE
WORLD WITH **THE
RUMBLING**

IS
THERE
A
PROB-
LEM?



WHAT
?

...RE-
SOLVED
OUR MIS-
UNDER-
STAND-
INGS...

WE CAN
SPEAK TO
MARLEY AND
OTHERS
AROUND THE
WORLD ONCE
THE PORT IS
DONE. IF WE
JUST...



CAN'T
WE TALK
BEFORE
THINGS
GET THAT
BAD?



ARE
THEY
WRONG
ABOUT
THAT?

...THE
WORLD
SEES US AS
MONSTERS
THAT CAN
TURN INTO
TITANS.



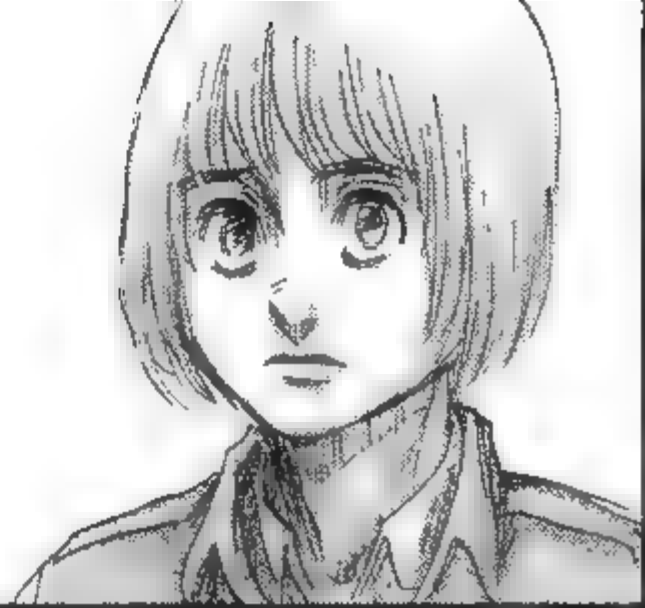
YOU
KNOW...
LIKE PEOPLE
THINKING
WE'RE
SCARY.

WHAT
DO YOU
MEAN BY
MISUNDER-
STAND-
INGS?



WE'VE
BEEN
ABLE TO
GET ALONG
WITH SOME
MARLEY-
ANS.

BUT
...



IF WE
JUST
SPENT
MORE
TIME...

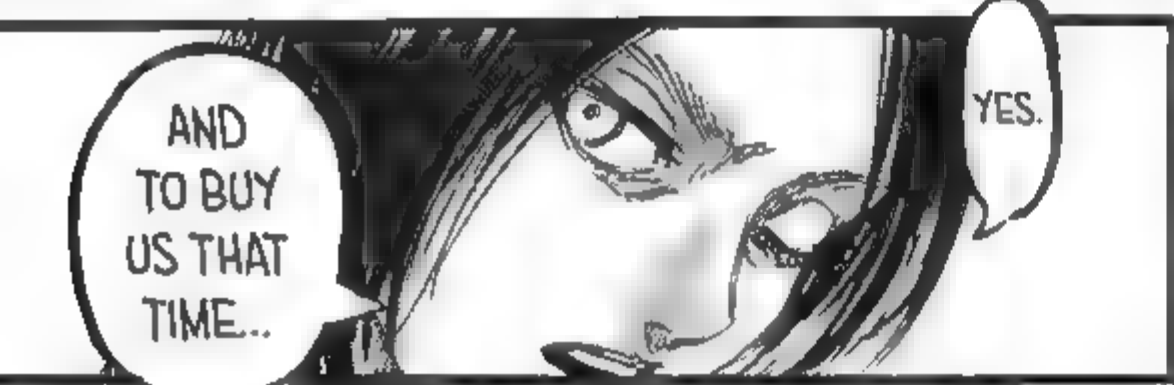
WELL
...

YEAH.



MOST OF THE
SOLDIERS WHO
CAME HERE ARE
STILL GLARING
AT US FROM
PRISON
CELLS.

HOW
MANY
?



AND
TO BUY
US THAT
TIME...

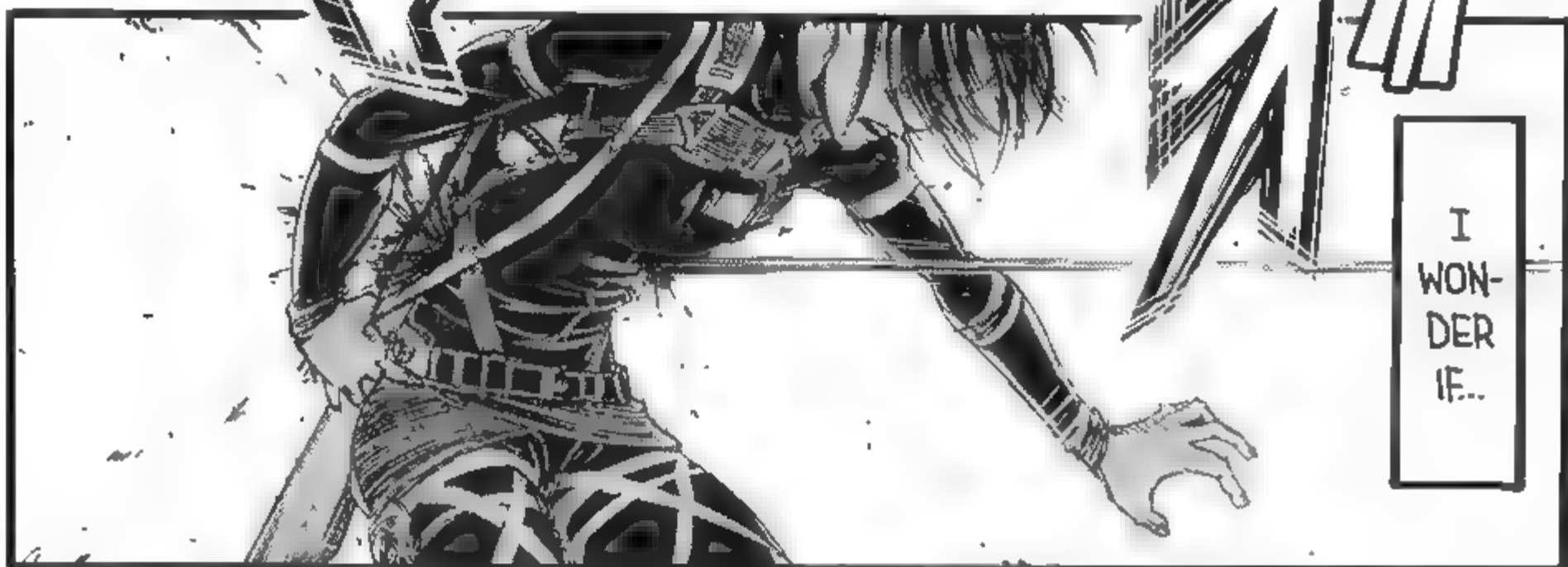
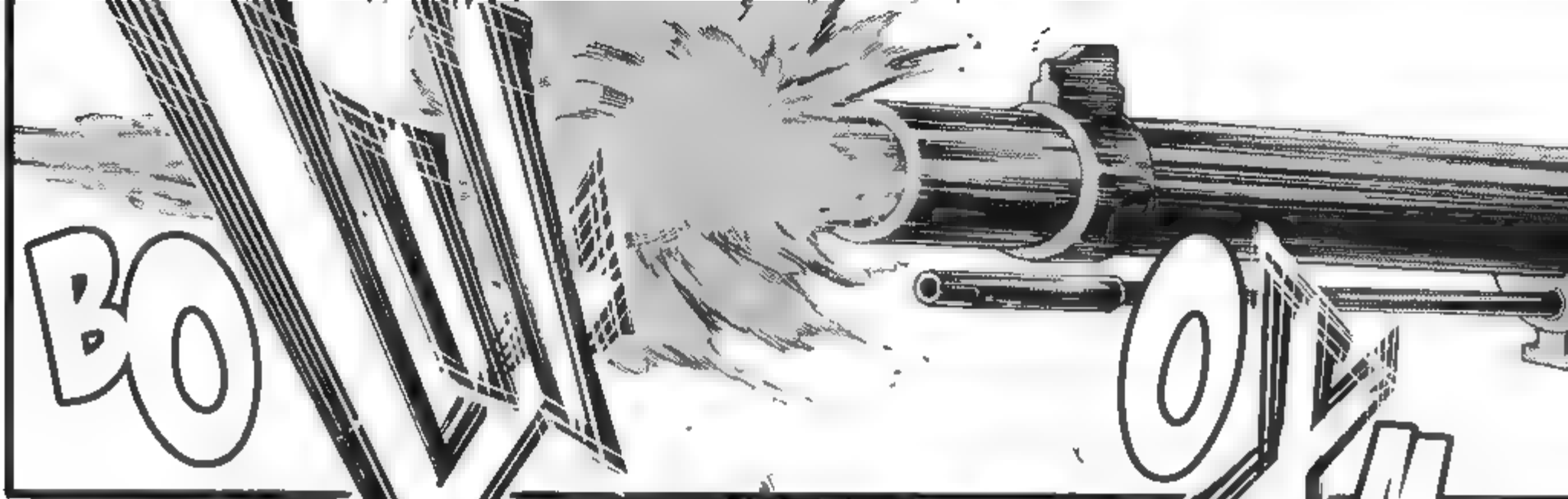
YES.



WE'VE
GOT TO
KEEP THEM
FROM
MESSING
WITH
US.



WE
NEED
TIME...



I KEEP
ON
COMING
BACK TO
THAT.

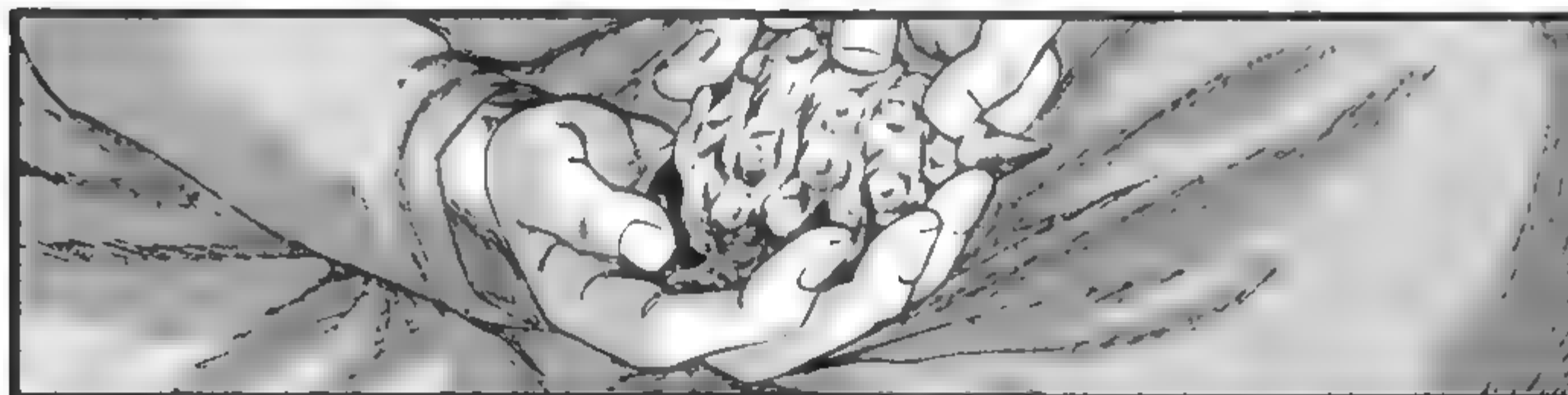




TODAY...

...WAS
THE
FUNERAL FOR
THE EIGHT
SOLDIERS
WHO DIED IN
THE LAST
OPERA-
TION.

INCLUD-
ING
SASHA.




I...
DON'T
UNDER-
STAND
HIM ANY-
MORE.



BUT...

I
THOUGHT I
UNDERSTOOD
EREN BETTER
THAN
ANYONE...

EVEN
MIKASA
...



...THE
OUTCOME
WOULD
HAVE BEEN
AWFUL
EITHER
WAY.

...OR
ABAN-
DONED
HIM...

WHETH-
ER WE
HELPED
HIM...


EREN
WAS
READY
TO DO IT,
EVEN BY
HIMSELF.



WE
SHOWED
UP OUT OF
NOWHERE
AND TOOK
EVERYTHING
FROM THEM...
JUST LIKE
WHAT
HAPPENED
TO **US** THAT
DAY.

NOTHING
WAS LEFT
UNTOUCHED.
NOT BATTLE-
SHIPS, NOT
SOLDIERS, NOT
CIVILIANS...

BUT
NOW...
WE'VE
KILLED A
HUGE
NUMBER
OF
PEOPLE.



WE
HAD
TO DO
IT.

WE'VE
ABANDONED
ANY HOPE
FOR PEACE,
NOW...
BUT...

...MARLEY
WOULD HAVE
LAUNCHED AN
IMMEDIATE
COUNTER-
ATTACK ON THIS
ISLAND...

THEN
AGAIN...
IF THAT
MILITARY
PORT HAD
BEEN LEFT
INTACT...



...THE
THREE
OF YOU
THAT
DAY...

JUST
LIKE

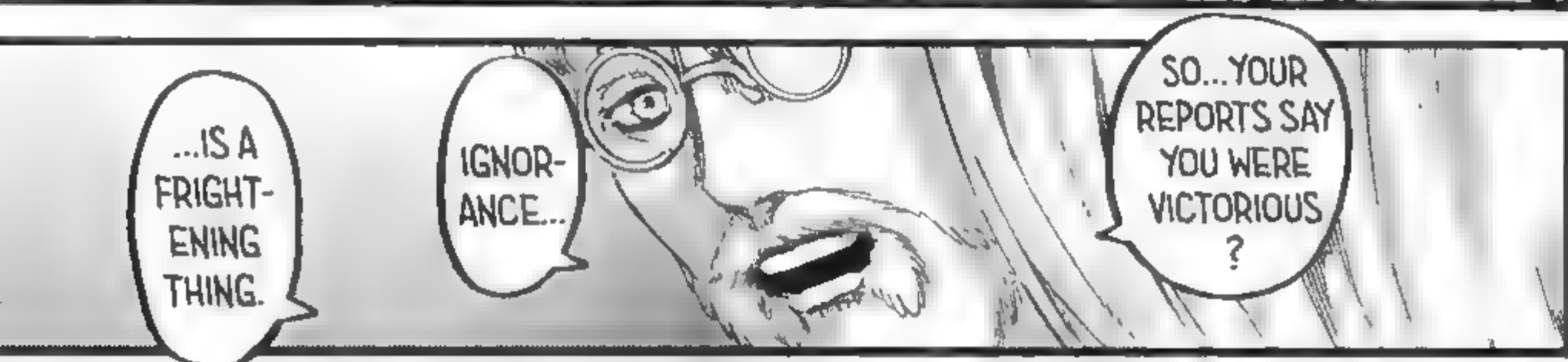
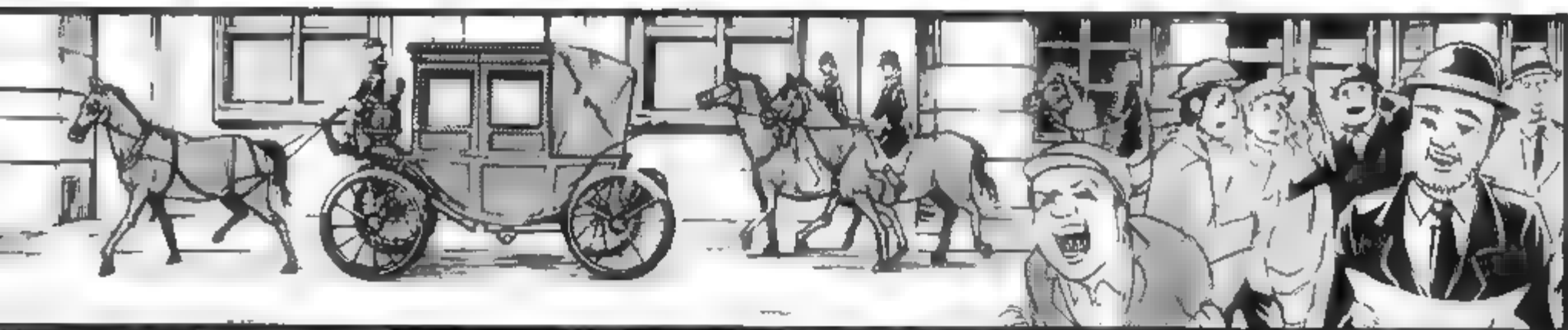


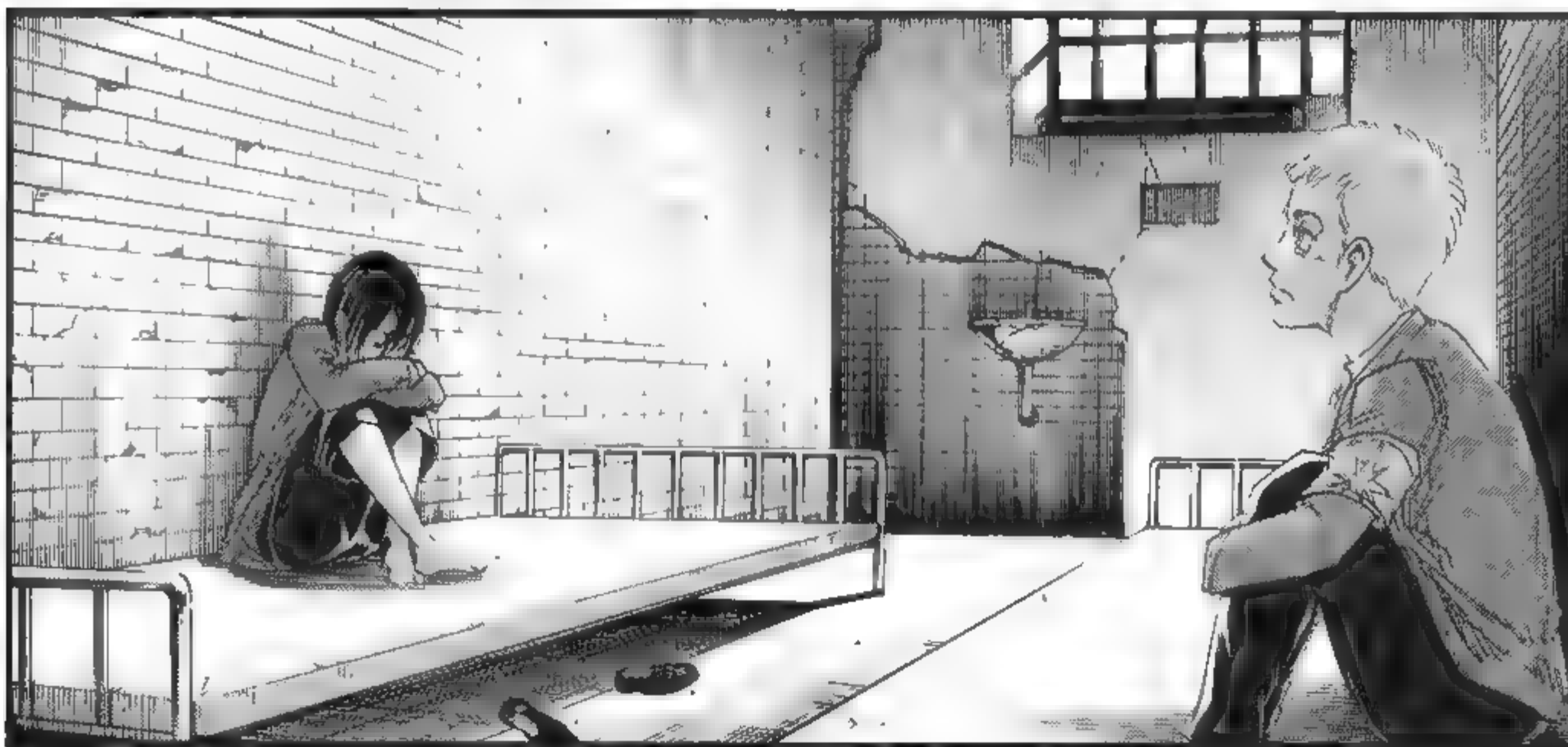
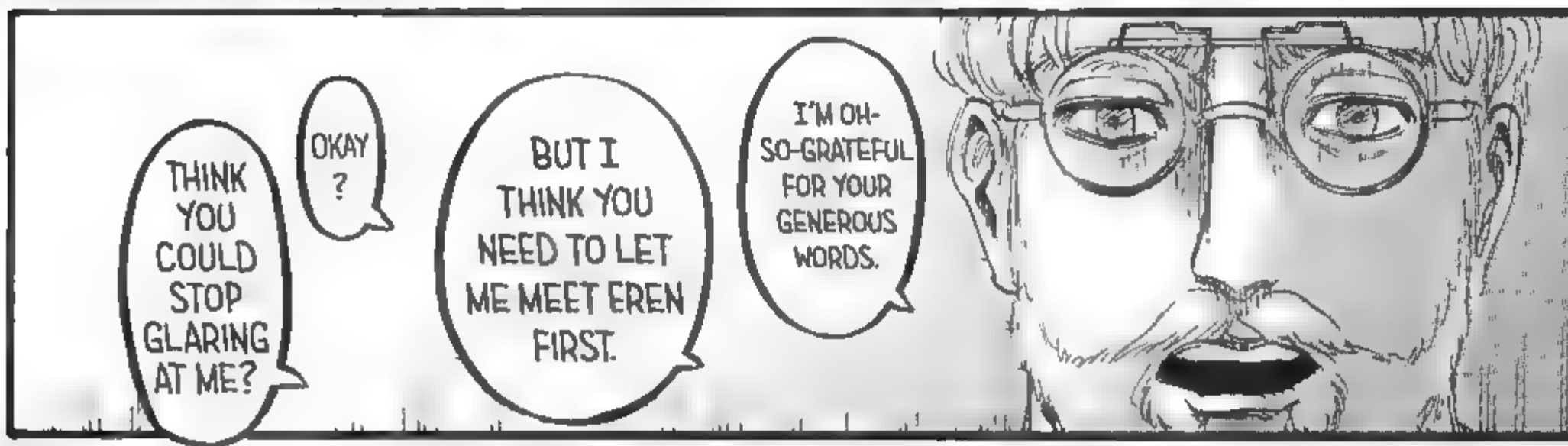
PLEASE...

SAY
SOME-
THING.



RIGHT...
ANNIE?







WE
CAN'T
WIN.

IF WE
DON'T
FIGHT...



FIGHT.

FIGHT.

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BE ATTAINED
THROUGH
IDEALS ALONE.**

**JUST HOW
MANY
SACRIFICES
HAVE BEEN
MADE TO
LAY THE
FOUNDATION
FOR PEACE...?**



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